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Ben,

I didn't get to know you very well, but I do wish you the best of luck. Continue in math like you've done and you won't need luck.

Mary Voyles '68

Ben,
It has been a great year. Have lots of fun in all you do. Don't be to hard on all the girls. Lots of luck
Bye-Bye
Kathy Hildebrand
'69

Ben,
I'm sorry we didn't have more time to get to know each other. I'm sure you will have many happy years at Tech.
Best of luck to you.
Atkinson

Benson
Hey honey bunch.
Bun
I sure
See ya
hope I
soon.
Cheryl
Crew

Mr. Benj
Kind of a bore but
you did have to
class with Yer
cuts to Shield
See you this
Greg
Morris

Benson
you were a spoiled
brat in American
History but you
were pretty smart.
Mark V.
Verburg

Ben Buddy,
Well Von Dutch, hows the 3rd Reich
team doin'? Remember our Seminar and
paper that just got past
out? Well just those about you guys
Bird of
Sly up your
Kicked fuge
may the
Paradise
nose. Joek Grass

Ben,
You asked me to
& say a few
so. Words, Words, Words,
have a good
C.C. College.
Fred Kyes

Ben,
Cu Cu Ca Chu
to you. Have you
found Joe DeMaggio
yet. You're the only
one who keeps american
History alive (shame on you).
Good luck next
year in college
Professor Shaw
signed George Lenz

THE WALRUS SAYS:
GOO GOO GA JOOB, OR
Ben, Hang in there
with the noise
roosters, wife,
and humor.
Remember: Deutschland über alles!!
Mike
Primm

TO BE CONTINUED

Ben.
Super Summer
Hat you are. It has
been a lot of fun knowing
you the past two years.
Good luck in College or whatever
else you do.

Derek.
Kendrick

Ben,
Excuse the much over used
Expression But Good Luck.
Joe 11.9

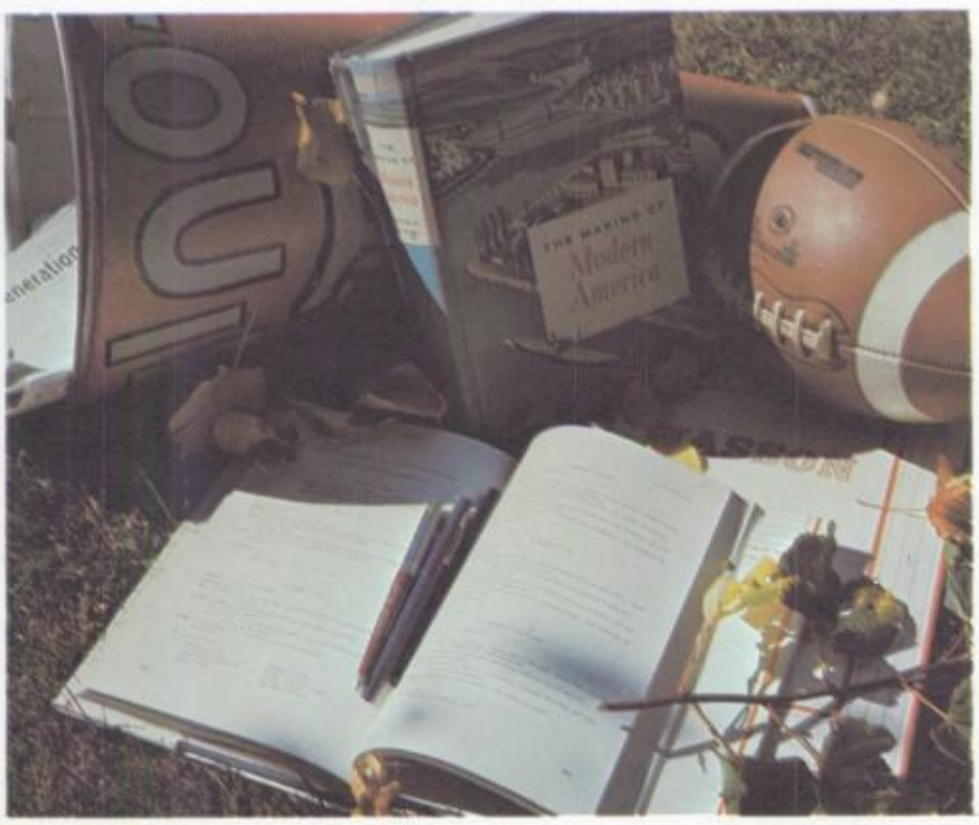
THIS PAGE FOR DEBI

Benson

It was such a great couple of days, I won't forget them much ya did for me when I lost my billfold & got my wimp. anytime you need a shoulder to talk to — — — you know where Billy & I never land are. and you'll always be welcome in my pretty world.

Best Life—

Billy Quigley



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Ben,
Here are some words for you: "the rain in Spain falls mainly ..... " Not really; I use the words to say Good Buck + Bona Fortuna See you at the "house",
Jeff Campbell

Look to This Day

Look to this day,
For it is the very life of life.
In its brief course lie all the verities and realities of your eistence:
The glory of action,
The bliss of growth,
The splendor of beauty,
For yesterday is but a dream and tomorrow is only a vision;
But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope.
Look well, therefore, to this day.

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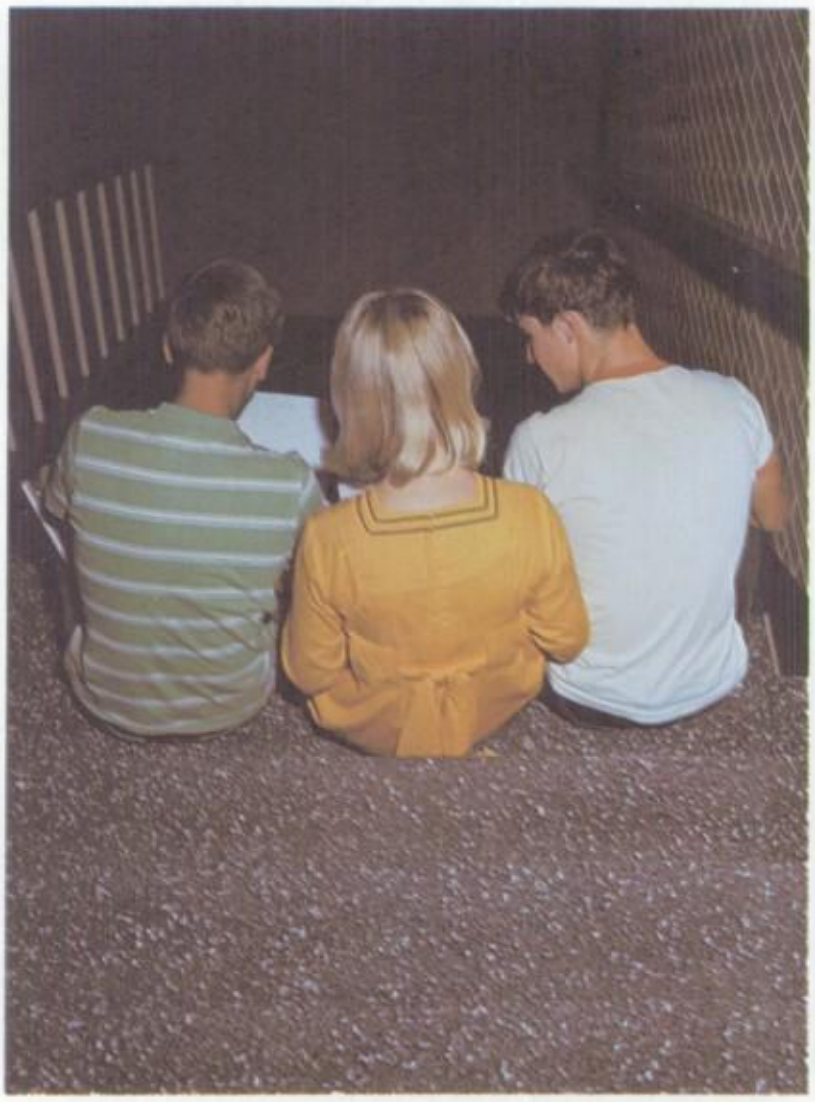


Bem,
At last, Schools over. Will see you this summer some time, and later. Stay out of trouble and keep out of Jail,
Good Luck & Best Wishes
Tom A.
Tom Arnold
('68)

When we look to this day we become aware that action, involvement, and participation are a part of the mood and the time. The anxious activity of a fired-up team, the throaty screams of partisan spectators, and the spectacle of an air-borne individual all reflect a desire for action, for in all action there is a glory that cries out against silence and inactivity.

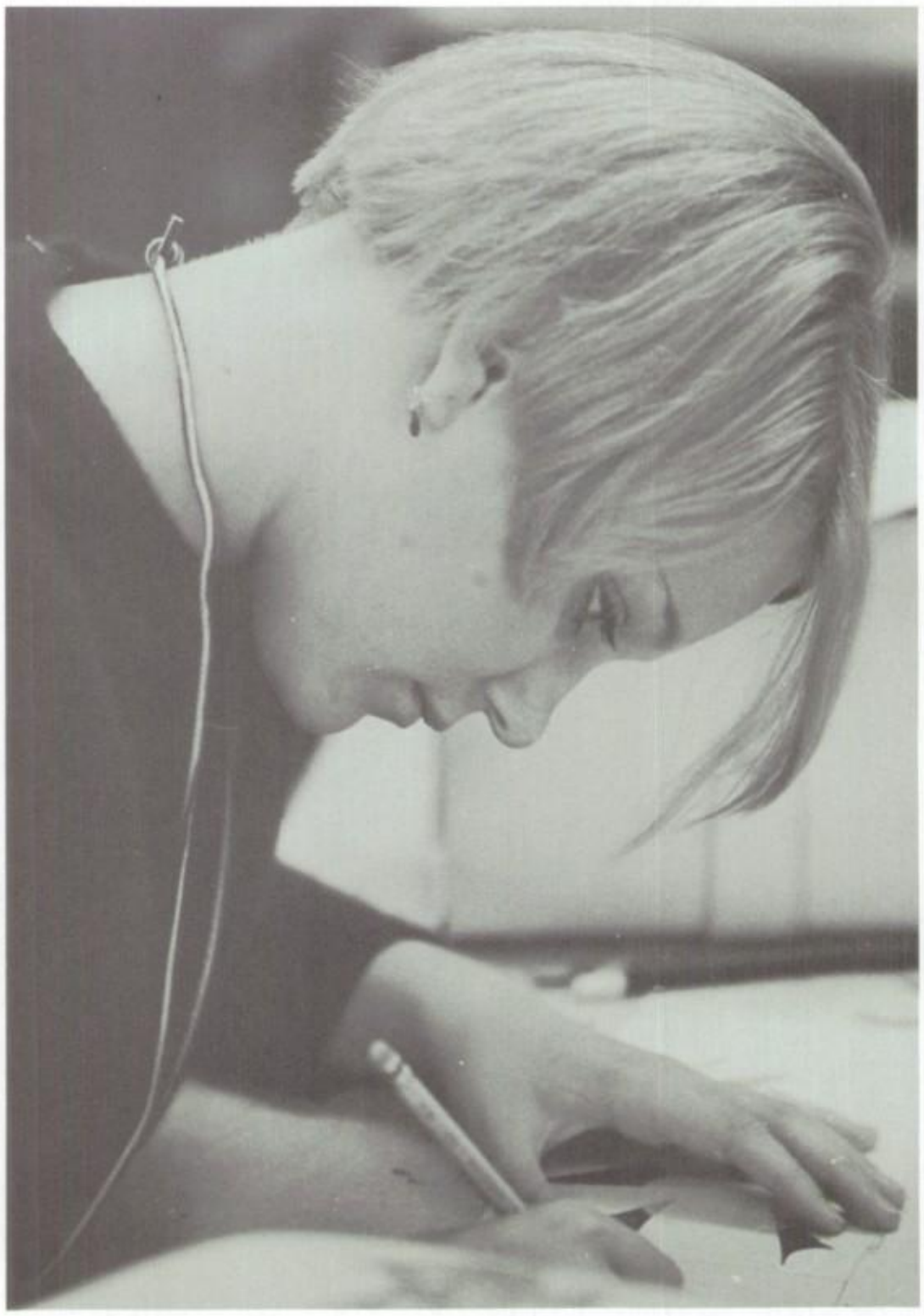
Ben,

I've always been your football hero and I thank you. You are my swim hero. Some people say we look alike but the shortest root to favoritism is through flattery! Forget the previous. Really - Good luck Ben and I know you'll do a great job at C.C.

Your gentle friend, '68.
Bob Mueller

Ben,
You a great guy with a great personality.
Hope to see you this summer, if you [illegible]
Have fun in college when you get there. Watch the women and boogie.
Good luck
Jerry Colbert
"68"

Since the conception of the human being, man has looked to things of beauty and grace for his inspiration and pleasure. Though man has progressed greatly since he first looked up into the blue heavens, his attitudes and opinions about beauty have changed hardly at all. A beautiful landscape still quickens his pulse, the human body still excites his finer senses, and a work of art appeals to his imagination today in the same way that it did to the classical masters. "Beauty is truth, truth beauty — that is all ye know on earth, and all ye need to know."

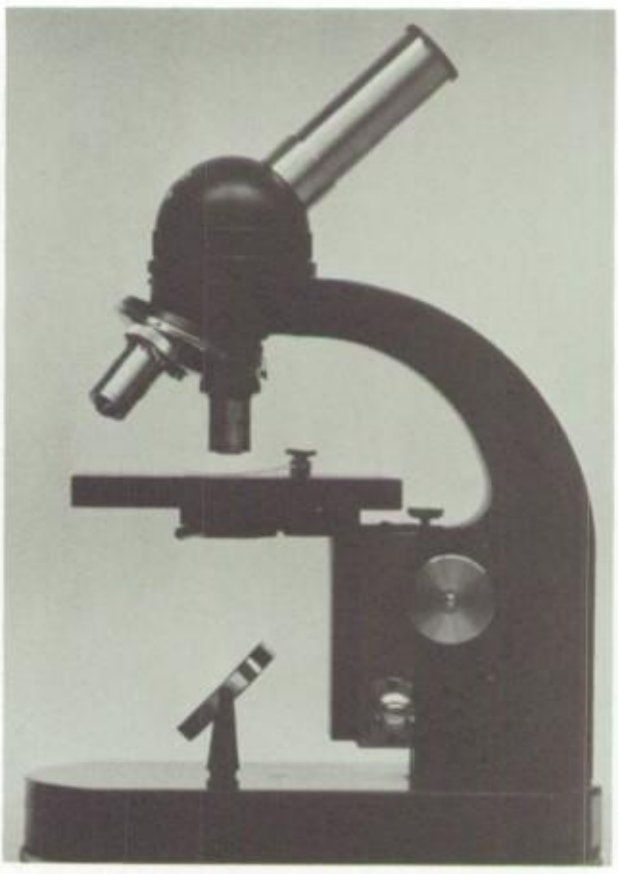


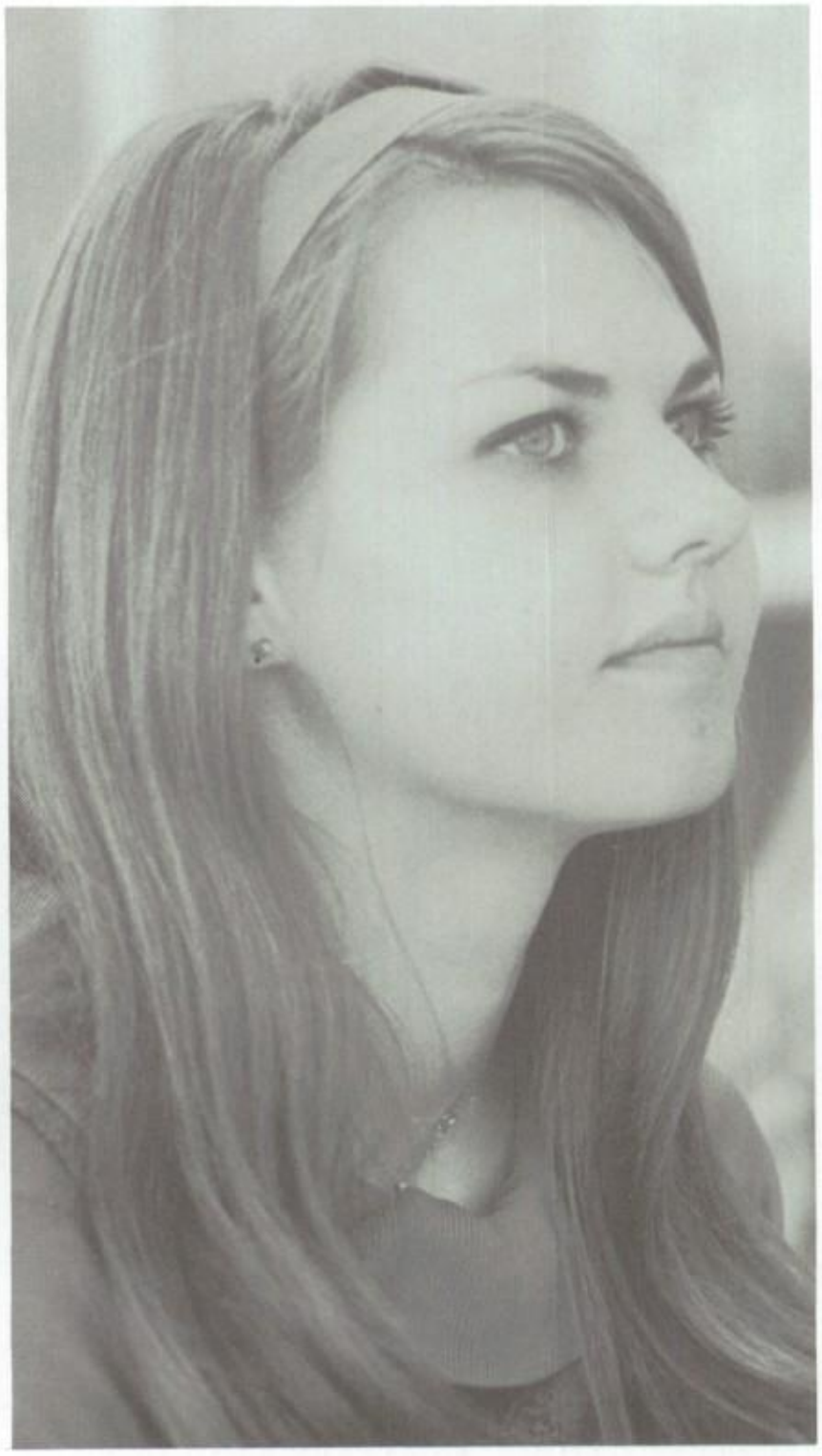
Ben-

Of the many people I have
met- you have the finest quality of wit.
It takes a calculating mind to be
funny- maybe that's why you're good
at being diabolically calculating.

Ha, ha, ha;

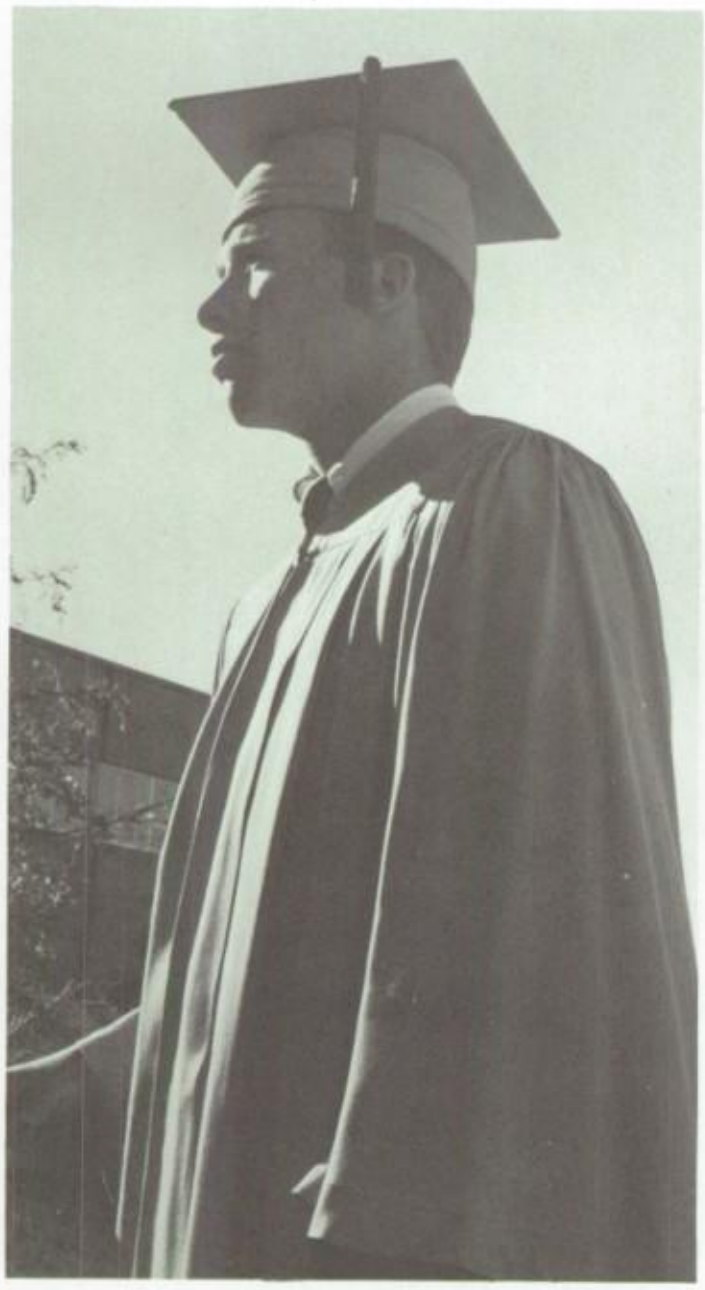
To live is to grow and to grow is to know of the infinite varieties of a full life. In order to grow mentally and physically, a person must look deeply into the many channels and possibilities of his existence, like the microscope delving deeply into the mysteries of a substance. For whether it be a study of the classics, an attempt at precision coordination, or a haphazard game of tennis, growth takes place — and with it a fuller understanding of life.

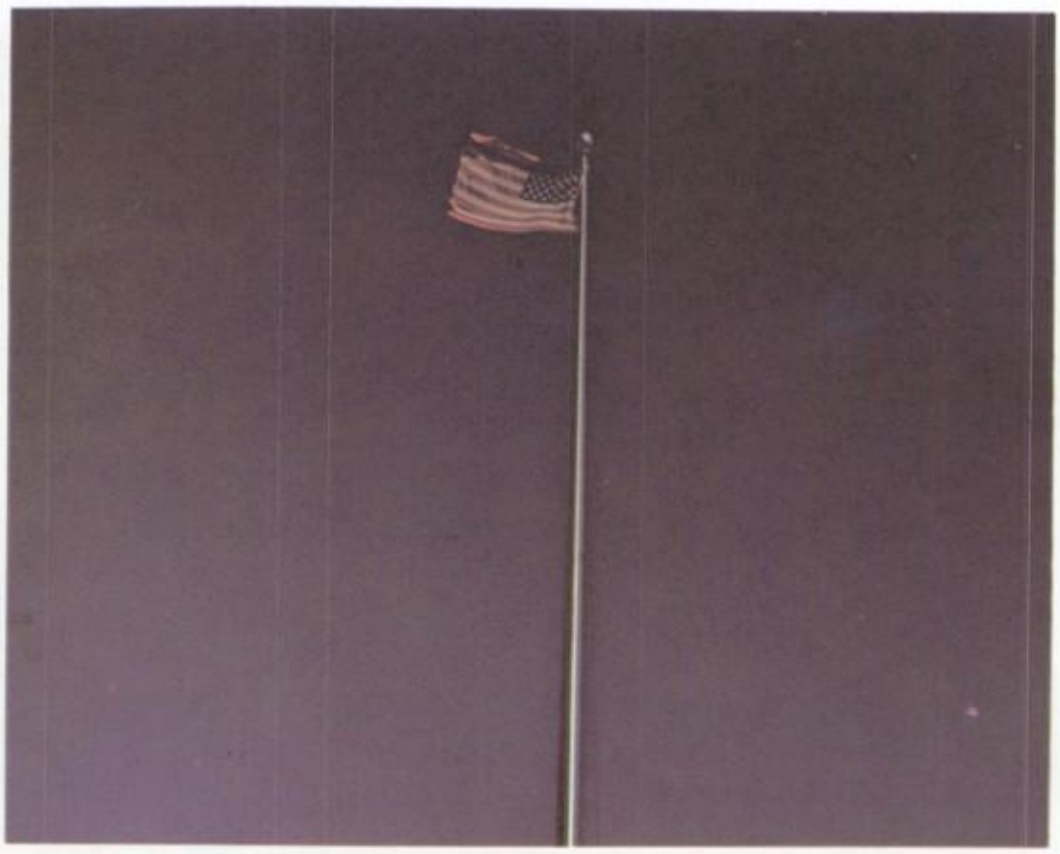




Benson,
Keep making
the psychedelic things,
you're pretty good at it.
Hope to see again. Good
luck, Love ya,
Jan

Dreaming, an escape from current existence, helps man reach for his goal. He falls and fumbles many times in his search for the goal, whether it be graduating from high school, finding the one right person, or finally attaining peace. No matter how much one man dreams within himself, today has to be lived. "But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope."





Ben,
Haven't seen you much this year but it will probably rain anyway. This year has been something else. Very Interesting... but stupid. Hope you have fun in college, where ever you go. Don't do anything I wouldn't do. See you this summer if it doesn't snow.

Look ↙

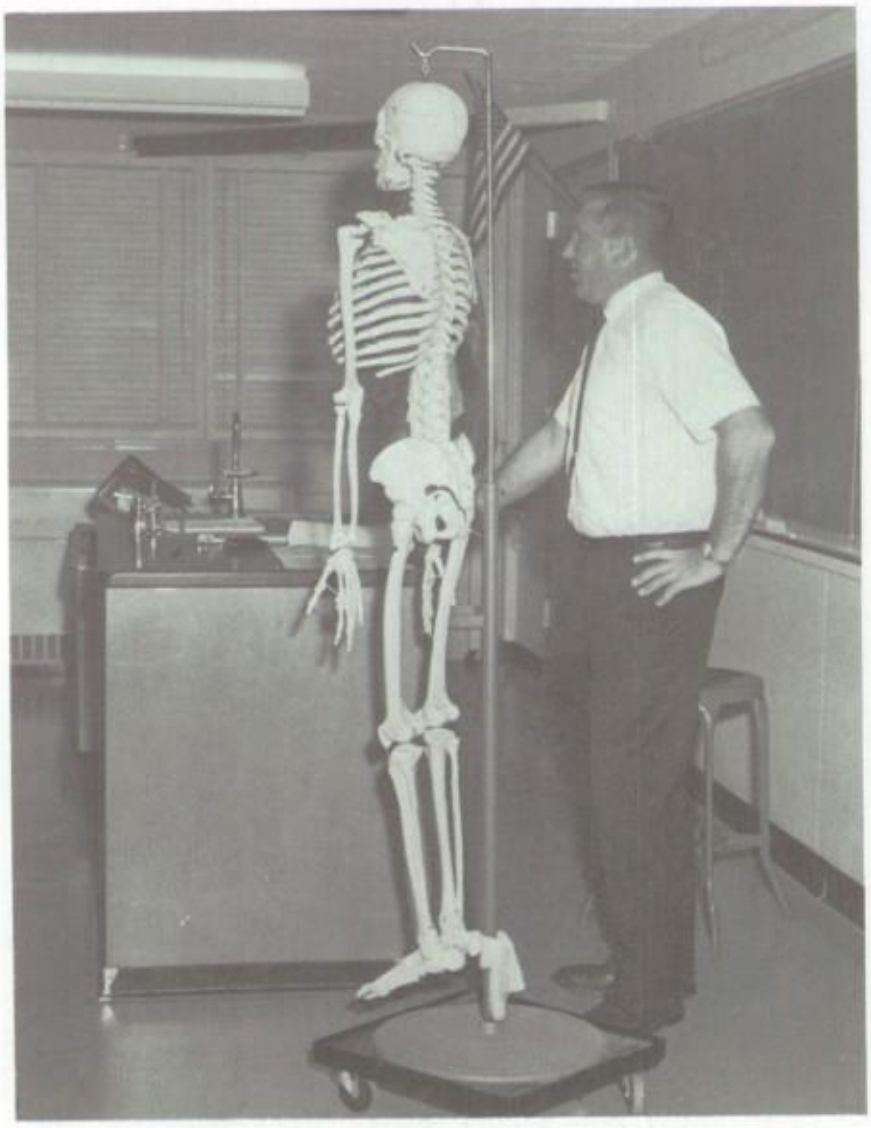
Ron Henry

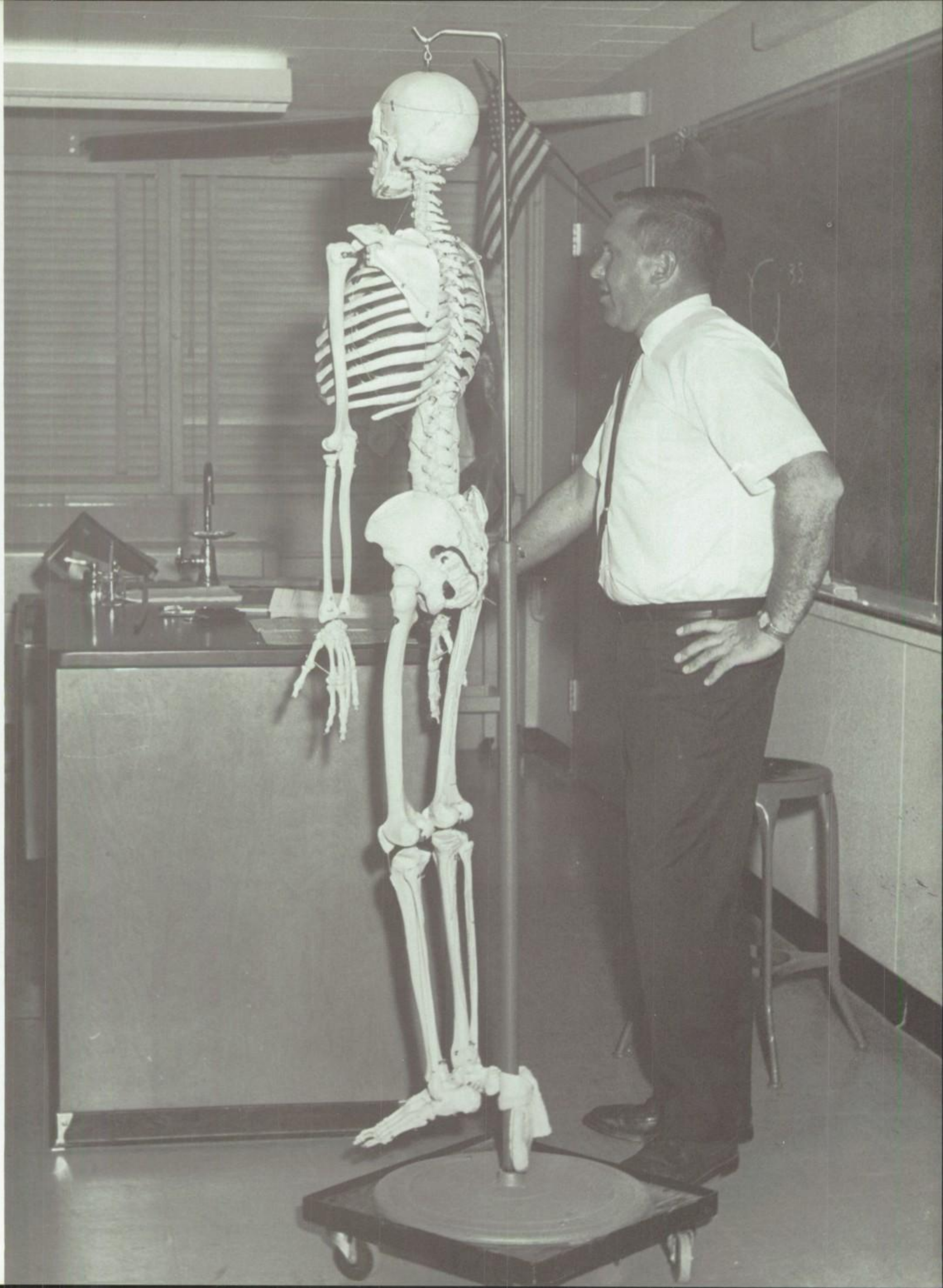
P.S. How's your Dog?

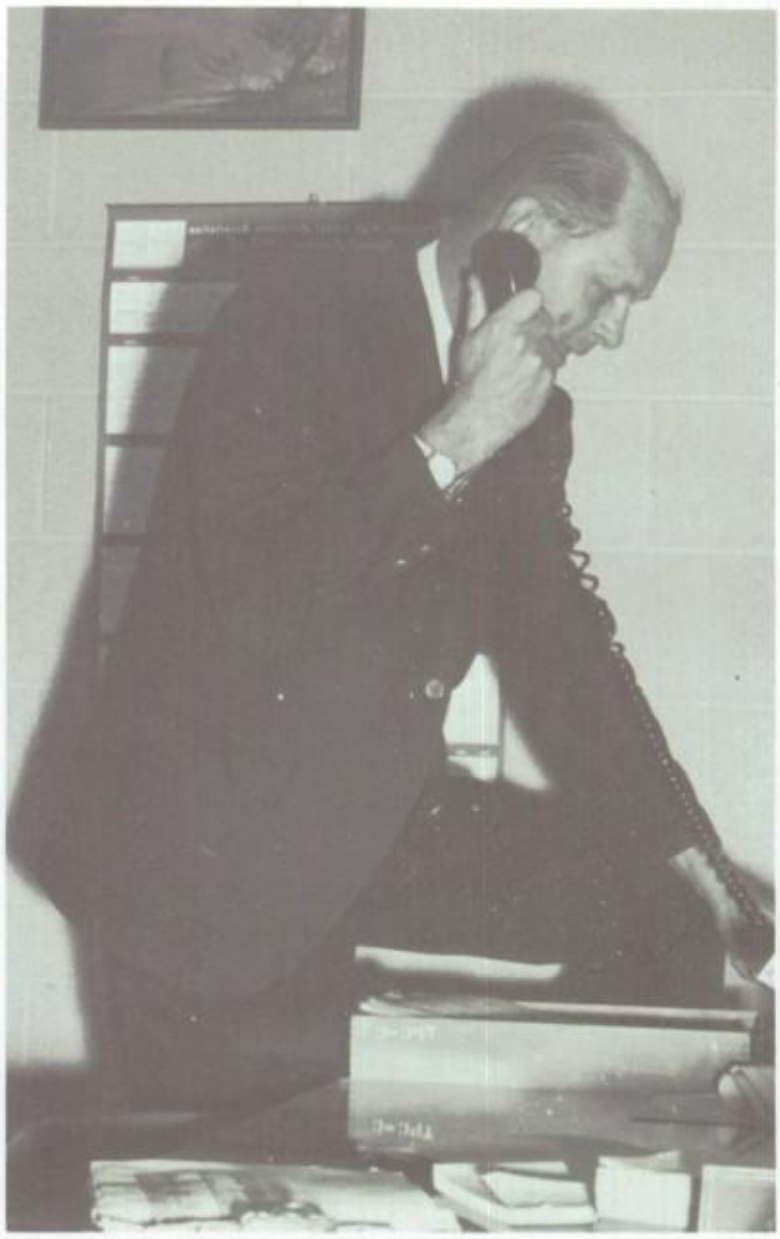
to this day . . .

Academics

Academics, the classroom side of the high school student's life. A colorful variety of interests, headaches, and mysteries for the individual — from the agonizing process of creating a composition in English to the seeming impossibility of finding "x" in Algebra to the heated debate in history about why a man did this instead of that three hundred years ago. . . . Academics, the working end result of all that man has done, thought, and felt since he was first capable of doing, thinking, and feeling. The simmering dispute with a teacher who has added that necessary abrasiveness to the classroom . . . the last minute prayers when the essay that is due next week will be due yesterday . . . the marvelous realization that all rocks are not really just for throwing. . . . Academics, the preparation for the future so that when we look to this day, we will see that it was the very finest of days. Academics, the name of the game called school.







Mr. Hetzler makes last minute arrangements to take a bus to the Lakewood football game.

A student with a problem can often be found talking in Mrs. Kilgore's office.

One of Mr. Funk's varied duties is giving the daily announcements.

Mr. Hill checks students names off the IBM list.

Mr. Christensen Wins "Outstanding Educator Award"for 1967

Mr. Christensen expressed hope for sophomores at orientation assembly.

SUMMER MEANT many varied activities to Wasson's administrators. To Mr. H. George Christensen, principal, it meant time to attend a district-wide leadership conference. To Mrs. Hermina Kilgore, dean of girls, it meant a summer in Europe. Mr. Kent Hill, administrative assistant and coordinator for data processing, traveled through the United States, and Mr. Harris Hetzler, business manager, taught summer school.

The overall operation of the school, and particularly of the teaching staff, was the primary concern of Mr. Christensen. Discipline, maintenance, supplies, business operations, and records were under his supervision. Mr. Christensen was the proud recipient of the 1967 Roy J. Wasson Outstanding Educator Award.

With the coming of fall and school, Mrs. Kilgore was kept busy helping the Courtesy Committee make new students feel at home and planning the Family Life discussions.

Mr. Funk kept the calendar of school events and distributed and managed the room keys for the 119 faculty members. His managerial duties extended to the parking lots, the cafeteria, and the study halls. Mr. Funk also saw to it that the extracurricular program functioned well and that students were encouraged to participate in the activities offered.

The Business Office under Mr. Hetzler worked closely with the student activity program, approving budgets and arranging supervision and finances for the dances. The Business Office also managed the bus trips, caps and gowns for the seniors, obligations, and the school calendar of meetings. Mr. Hetzler found time to be the Treasury Committee adviser and to assume some administrative duties.

In Mr. Hill's office a new sorting machine saved much time working with schedules and report cards for the entire student body, thus leaving Mr. Hill with more time for administrative duties.

$14 Million School Bond Issue Assures New Construction

ADMINISTRATORS' MAJOR project in 1968 was planning the use of the money from the fourteen million dollar school bond passed on December 12, 1967. The plans included the building of a new senior high school, a junior high school, and four elementary schools; a major renovation of Palmer High School; and the remodeling of North, South, and West Junior High Schools. Also included was some remodeling of Mitchell High to enable further utilization of flexible scheduling.

Another project was the exploration of further uses of instructional television. During the 1967-68 school year KRDO presented programs for grade school pupils; also the district maintained its own television studio.

Elected by the citizens of Colorado Springs, the School Board, the policy-making body of School District 11, hires the superintendent and his staff, which includes the administrative assistants and the director of secondary education. The administrative staff provides overall leadership and guidelines in an effort to provide up-to-date, quality education under which the individual faculties in the district work.

SCHOOL BOARD — SEATED: Dr. William Greer, vice president; Mr. Thomas Doherty, superintendent; Mr. William Rudy. STANDING: Mr. John L. Wiman; Mr. Harlan L. Ochs; Mr. Maurice Baker, president.

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATORS — SEATED: Mr. Thomas Doherty, superintendent; Mr. Robert Davis, assistant superintendent; Charles Day, administrative assistant. STANDING: Dr. Arthur Olson, deputy superintendent; Mr. Al Erickson, assistant superintendent; Mr. Harold Threlkeld, director of secondary education.

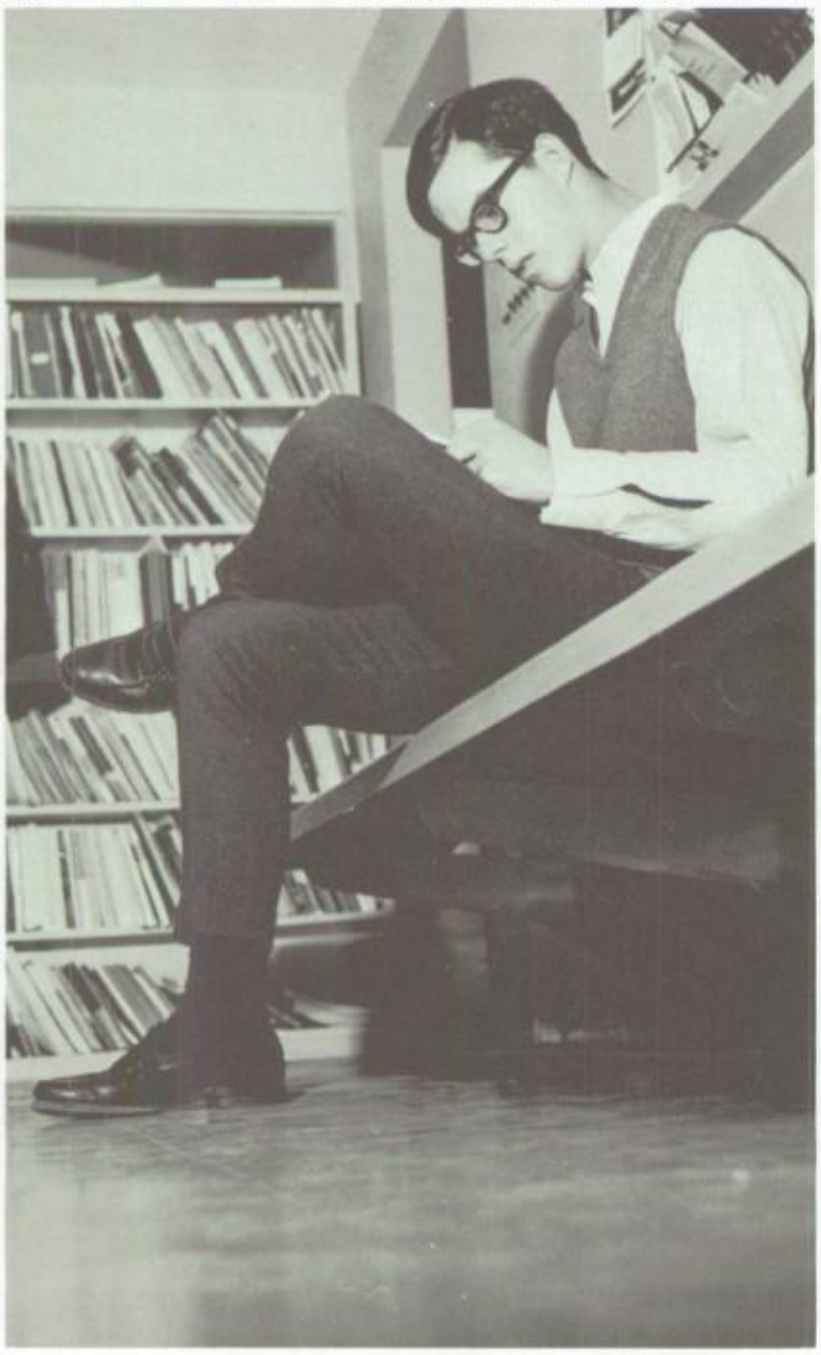
View Deck Machine Aids Students in Selecting Vocations

Mr. Roberts shows Linda Petty how to use the new view deck machine.

THE WEST COAST, West Point, and all the Colorado colleges were visited by the Wasson counseling staff in preparation for this school year. In return Wasson welcomed representatives from approximately 100 colleges. Also aimed at helping seniors to make a decision about college, school-sponsored trips were taken in early December to the University of Colorado, Colorado State University, and Colorado State College. College Night again proved successful in providing both juniors and seniors a chance to investigate the possibilities of many different schools.

Mr. Carl Roberts replaced Mr. Robert Sheverbush as chairman of the counseling department, and under his direction all staff members became full-time counselors. They used the new materials received this year to their fullest extent. New sound filmstrips and a view deck machine aided students in selecting schools and vocations.

George Garrison finds that waiting for his counselor is pleasant and informative due to the wide variety of college catalogs available.



The semester break means a lot of paper work for Miss Grant.

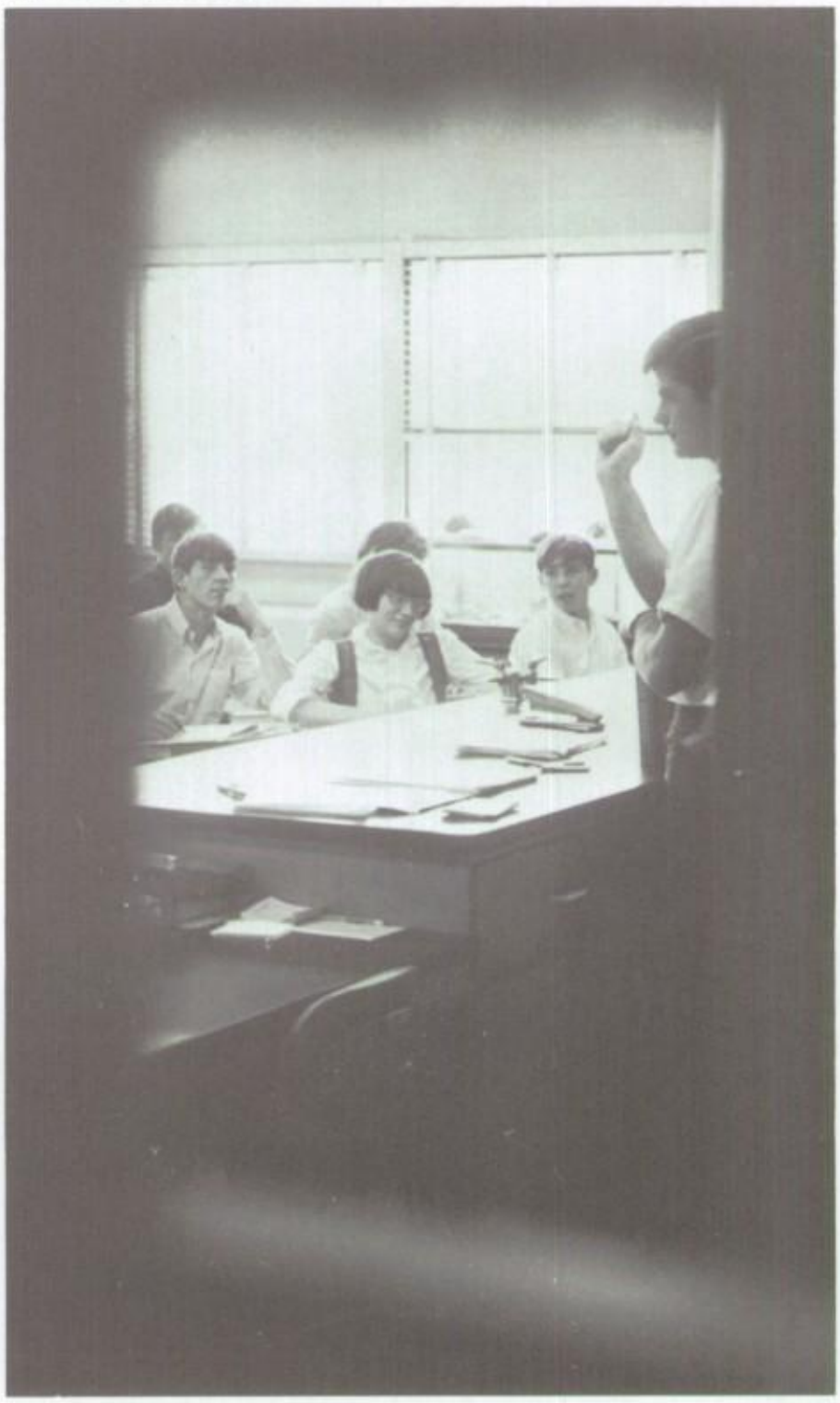
Science Department Acquires New Gas-Type Laser

SHADES OF JAMES BOND were seen in the Science Department with the acquisition of a three milliwatt laser for individual student use. The gas-type laser, an energy source for single wave length light, was used in the study of light interference and was available for independent use by students.

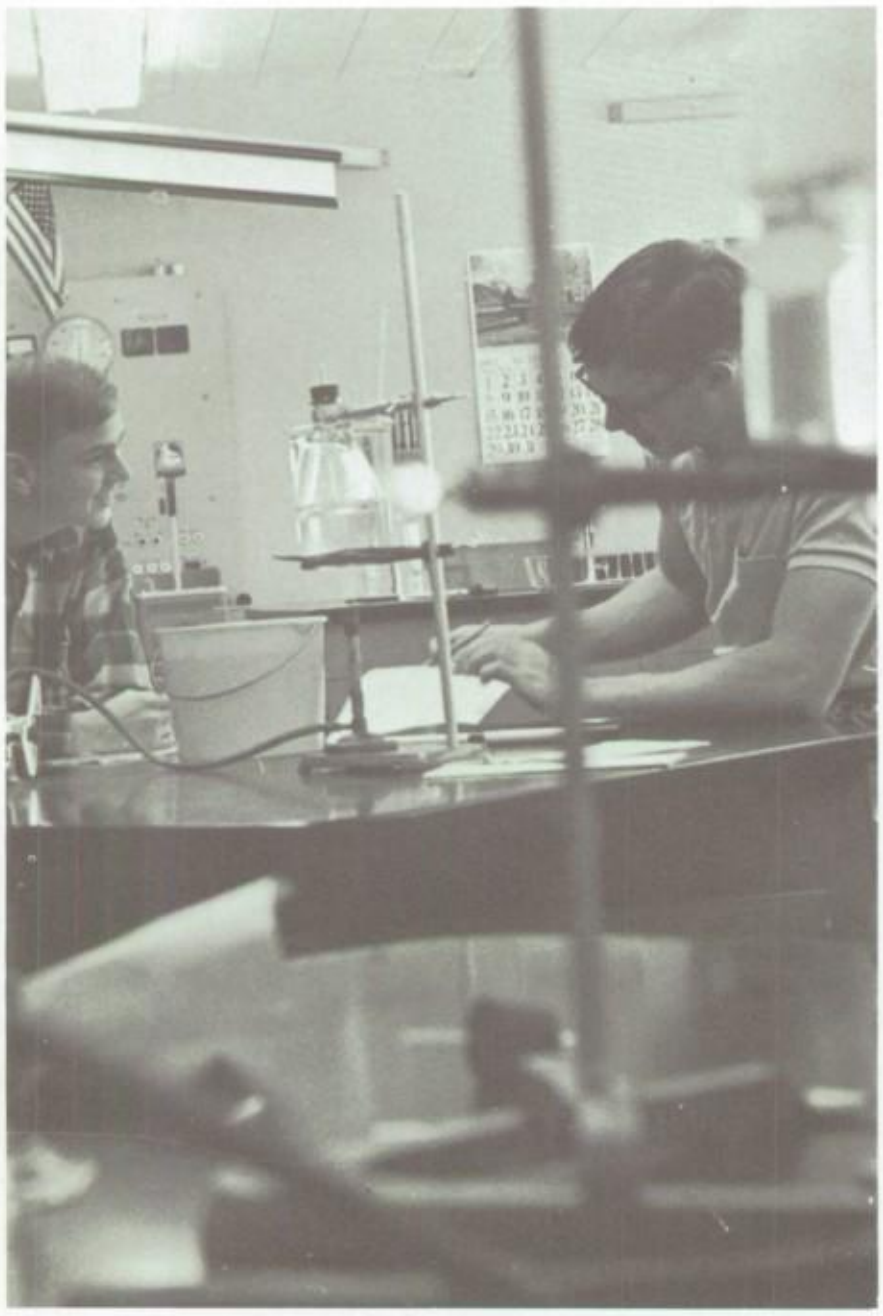
A physical science class was reintroduced for those non-scientifically oriented students needing a laboratory science for graduation. Other courses offered were chemistry, biology, geology, physiology, physics, and AP science.

Among the faculty in the Science Department attending summer school were Mr. Wilder, department head and biology teacher; Mr. Reser, physics and AP science; Mr. Robinson, geology; Mr. Yost, chemistry; and Mr. Dickinson, new member in the department and teacher of physics and chemistry. Dr. Dickinson previously taught three years in Akron, Colorado.

Framed by a doorway within a doorway, Mr. Dickinson instructs biology.



Chemistry students observe a violent thermite reaction.



Dave Griesemer and Andy Weigel discuss results of physics experiment.

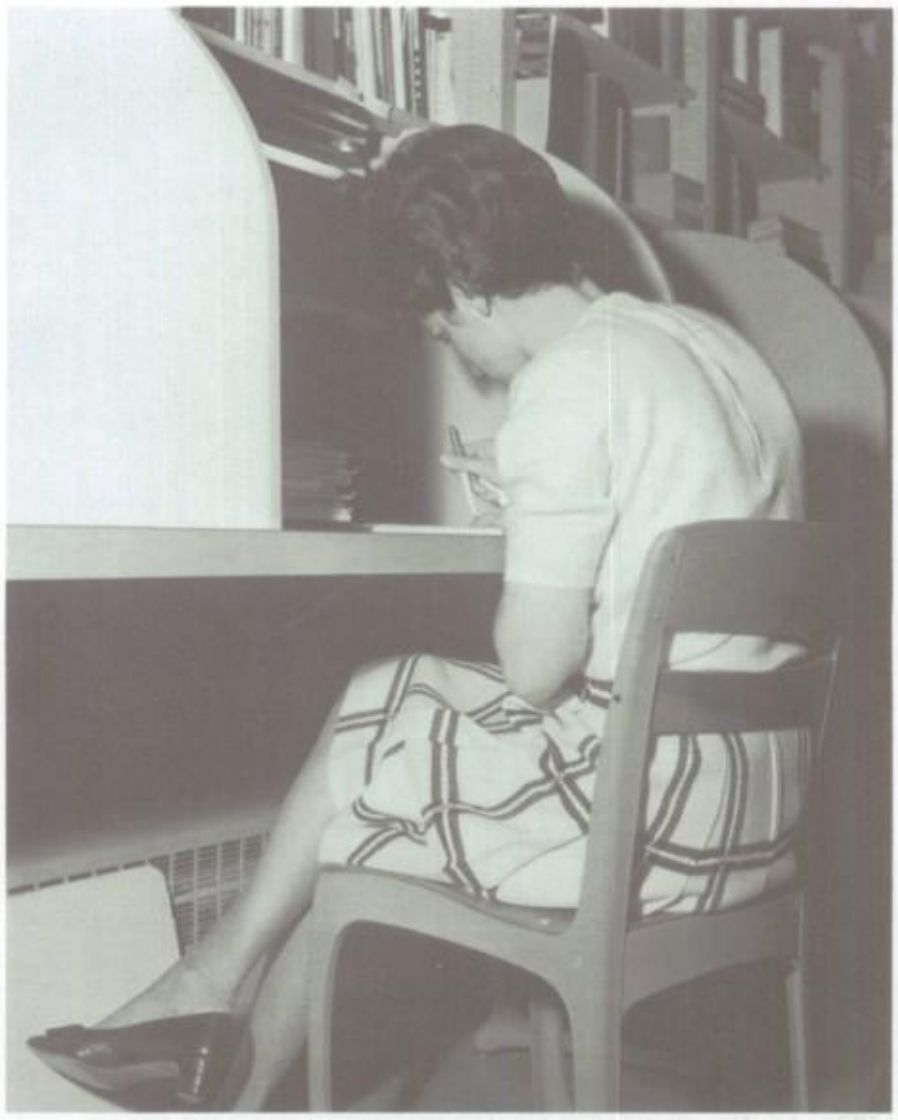
Participating in a field trip, geology students study rock specimens.

Microscopic investigation of bacteria requires discussion by students.

New Materials, Summer Studies, Reflect English Department

AMONG THE NEW materials this year in the English department are class sets of supplemental and required reading, additional audio-visual equipment, and materials for remedial and developmental reading. Mr. Robert Hill replaced Miss Frances Wallingford as chairman of the department, and new personnel included Miss Patricia Martin, a 1967 graduate of Grinnell College, and Miss Mary Ann Heller, who also taught speech. The English department staff participated in the National Council of Teachers of English competition.

During the summer of 1967 Mrs. Zella Ragsdale toured South America, Miss Patricia Ruthmansdorfer attended the NDEA Institute at Lawrence University in Wisconsin, and Mrs. Martha Putnam and Mr. Jerry Bridgman took arts and humanities courses at Colorado College. Mr. Bernard Gannon attended summer school at Southern Colorado State College in Pueblo, and Mrs. Opal Houseman took courses at Western Reserve University.



Utilizing the new study carrels in the English office, Miss Ruthmansdorfer grades papers and prepares lesson plans for her classes.

New chairman Mr. Hill and Joy Ann Robinson discuss a paper.

While studying the ballad in English literature, Eric Williams and John Knippers entertain their classmates with "Bonnie Barbara Allen."

Mrs. Worrell, head librarian, works at her desk in her office.

Microfilm Readers Add to Library Research Facilities

IN 1967 WASSON received two microfilm readers, purchased with funds from the National Defense Education Act. Beginning with 110 microfilms of magazines from 1962 to 1966, the library is looking forward to adding more films every year. In the future the staff hopes to acquire a reader-printer which will enable students to make a copy of a filmed page.

The library also received 100 books a month, boosting the total to 13,000 books. Subscriptions to more magazines meant a much wider variety of reading material available. More than half the money for these projects came from the Elementary and Secondary Education Act.

Assisting the regular staff were 15 to 20 student aides and the Neighborhood Youth Corps. Also an aid to library effectiveness was the movement of Mrs. Hunt's desk from the office so that she would be more readily available to help students.

This year the library remained open Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Puzzling over the concepts of business law, senior Steve Benson obtains a helpful suggestion from Mr. Davis.

Key Punch Course Changed In Wasson Business Dept.

INCORPORATED INTO an office machines class in the Business Department was instruction in key punch. Key punch, formerly a one semester course, became part of office machines, a year-long course. The Business Department embarked on the third year of a vocational program. This play, part of the Vocational Education Act of 1963, provided the school with funds for vocational business classes. Under this system vocational certificates were offered in three general areas: general office, secretarial, and accounting. Students receiving certificates were recommended for office jobs after graduation. Joining the Business Department were Mrs. Patsy Perschbacher and Mr. Herbert Beadles. Mrs. Perschbacher is a graduate of Western State College, and Mr. Beadles graduated from Southern Colorado State College.

Seen over the console, business students concentrate on shorthand.

Using a slide rule, Rich Buckingham develops advanced math skills.

Computer Class Offered for First Time in Math Dept.

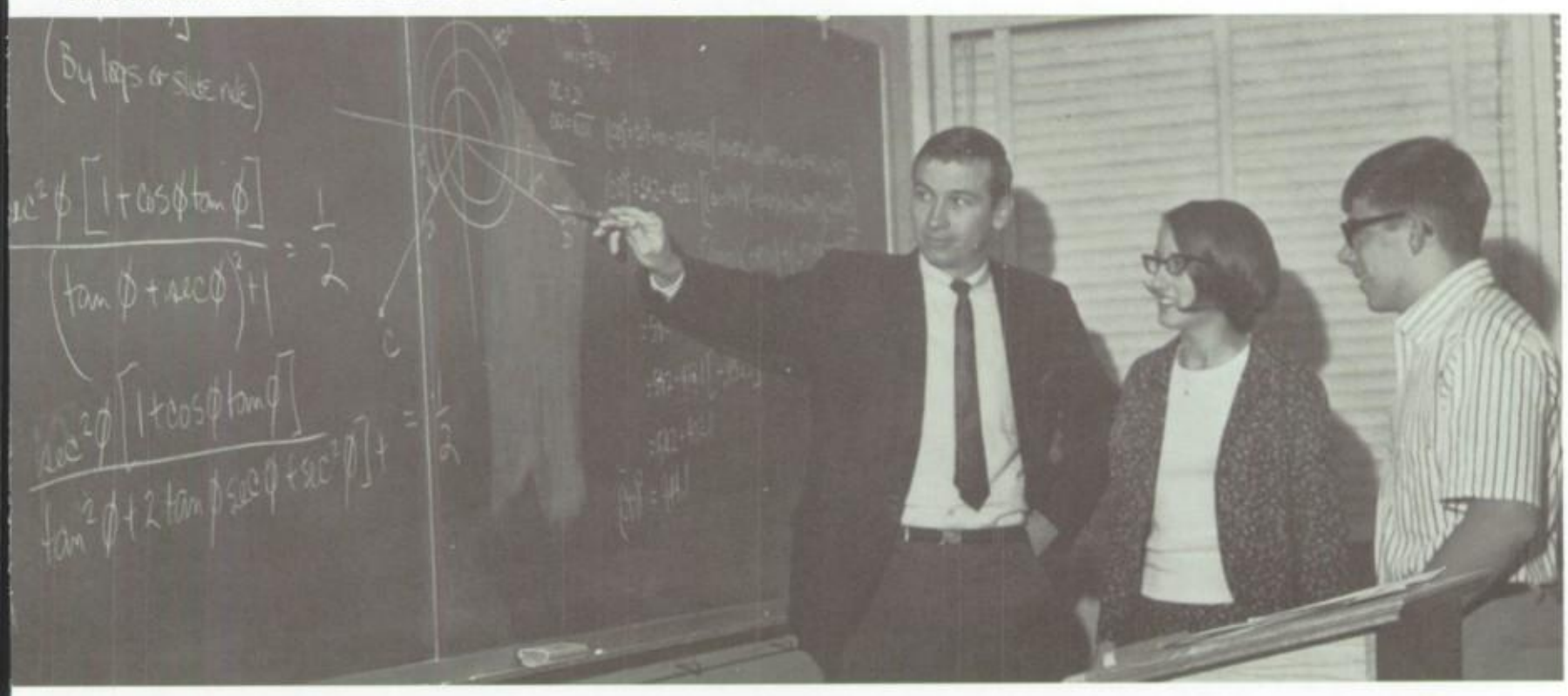
FOR THE FIRST time in School District 11, a computer class was offered. This pilot class, taught by Mrs. Nelson, consisted of one semester of computer work and one semester of analytic geometry.

Other course changes in the Mathematics Department saw the team teaching approach expanded to include three classes, which were taught by Mr. Barber, Mr. Thatcher, and Mr. Norton. The elimination of a second year algebra honors course and creation of another algebra 5 and trigonometry class were other changes. The algebra 5 and trigonometry class did all extra work on an Olivetti-Underwood desk calculator.

Mr. Zecha investigated programmed material with smaller group instruction in his general math class. In his algebra class, Mr. Zecha employed two texts, one per semester.

Students taking math courses were encouraged to display their creativity in the Math-Science Fair. Those students taking honors courses were required to do a project.

Sue Johnson and Dave Svoboda observe with puzzled expressions as Mr. Hiskey discusses a detailed trigonometric problem



Discussing test grades is important to Dr. Hall and Bette Blasing.

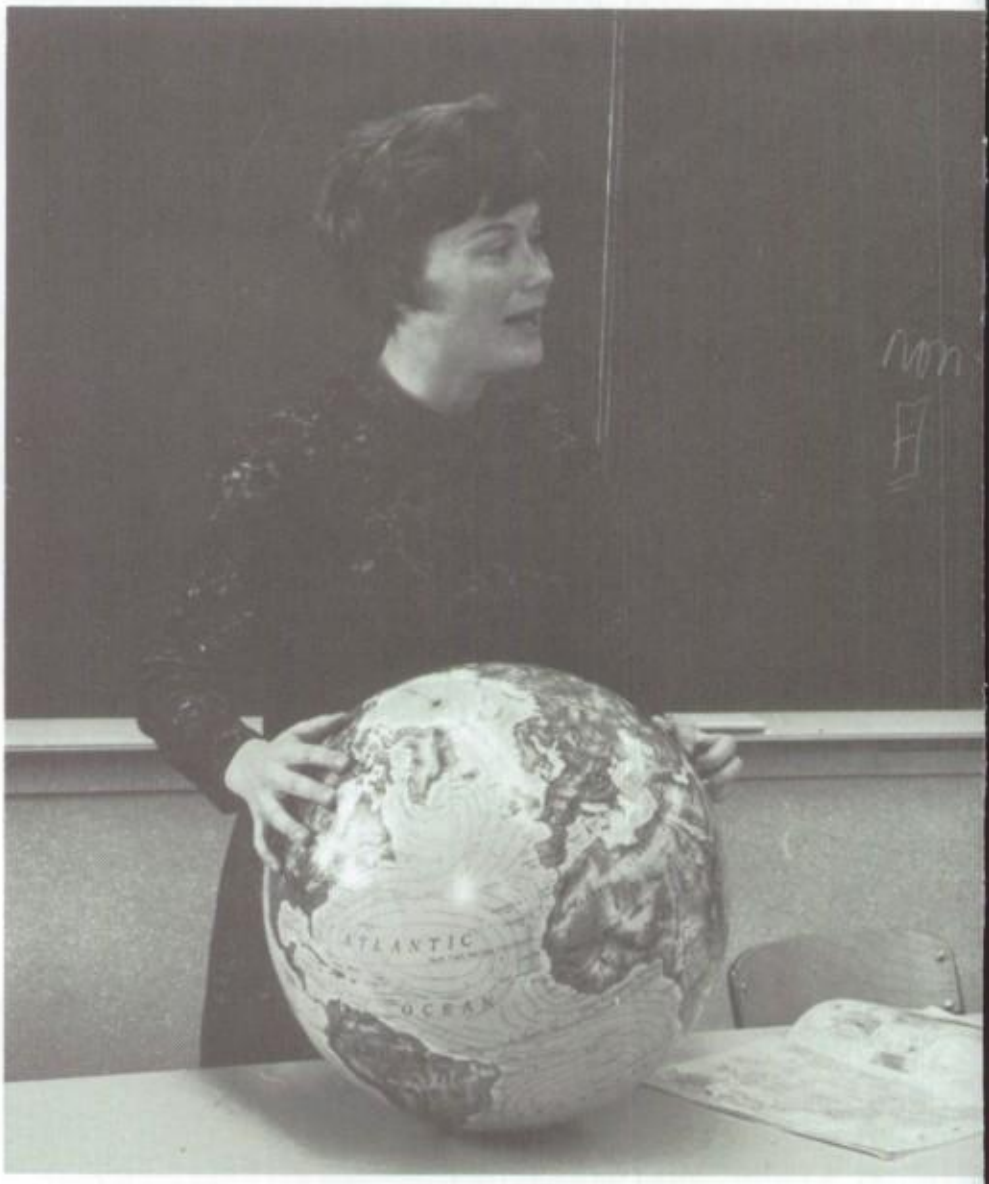
Curriculum Change Seen in Social Science Department

1968 IS THE TARGET date set for the curriculum change now in process concerning juniors in American history classes. Dr. Charles Hall, head of the district wide curriculum revision, explained that this necessary change allowed the seniors to take more electives, such as psychology, economics, and political geography. Workshops concerning the curriculum change were held the second week of December and in March. Professor Muessig of Ohio was the consultant in charge of the workshops.

Five new instructors joined the staff of the Social Sciences Department. Teaching American history, Mr. Thomas Lyon came to Wasson after finishing studies at Colorado College. Miss Spriegel taught American and world history classes. Mrs. Washburn, also from Colorado College, taught American and world history. A graduate of Colorado State College, Mrs. Theune taught world geography and history. Mrs. Buchenauer, psychology instructor, came to Wasson after completing studies at Pennsylvania State University.

Patty MacCorquodale discusses a "relevancy" with Mr. Robert Smith.

"Can someone point out New Zealand?" Mrs. Theune asks her class.



Mr. Bye explains the fundamentals of grammer to his Spanish class.

"Conjugating verbs is not difficult," explains Mrs. Joanna Ritzman.

Humanities Program Gives Aid to Language Department

GIVING INVALUABLE aid to the Foreign Language Department this year, the Arts and Humanities Program of the Pikes Peak Region provided plays, speakers, and films, such as "Magical Mexico," a brilliant film depicting modern Mexican life. In all of the five languages, oral skills and training have been emphasized more this year than previously. New materials, such as audio-visual based texts, have been used by the Spanish classes.

Many of the foreign language teachers have visited the country or countries in which their respective languages are spoken. This invaluable experience aided the teachers in presenting stimulating lectures with photographs and slides. Also, many teachers attended N.D.E.A. sponsored workshops in the summer.

Two new teachers joined the staff of the Foreign Language Department this year. Miss Judy Fullmer came to Wasson from Illinois and taught French. Mr. Jon Hoffman, who previously taught in Westminster, Colorado, taught German.

Seniors Tricia Wendt, John Reed, and Dave Murphy are intrigued by Mr. John Hoffman's new display of German magazines and posters.

Vocational Lithography New To Industrial Arts Offerings

OFFERED AS A vocational course for the first time this year, offset lithography was fully approved as a vocational education class in trades and industry. The teacher, Mr. James E. Brown, and the class were accredited by the Colorado State Board of Education. Students taking this course first studied the history and principles of the different processes, and then put their knowledge to practical use. One process they learned was new to Wasson this year. It was two-color duo-tone, involving two screened pictures of different colors and same content printed on top of each other at a 15 degree angle.

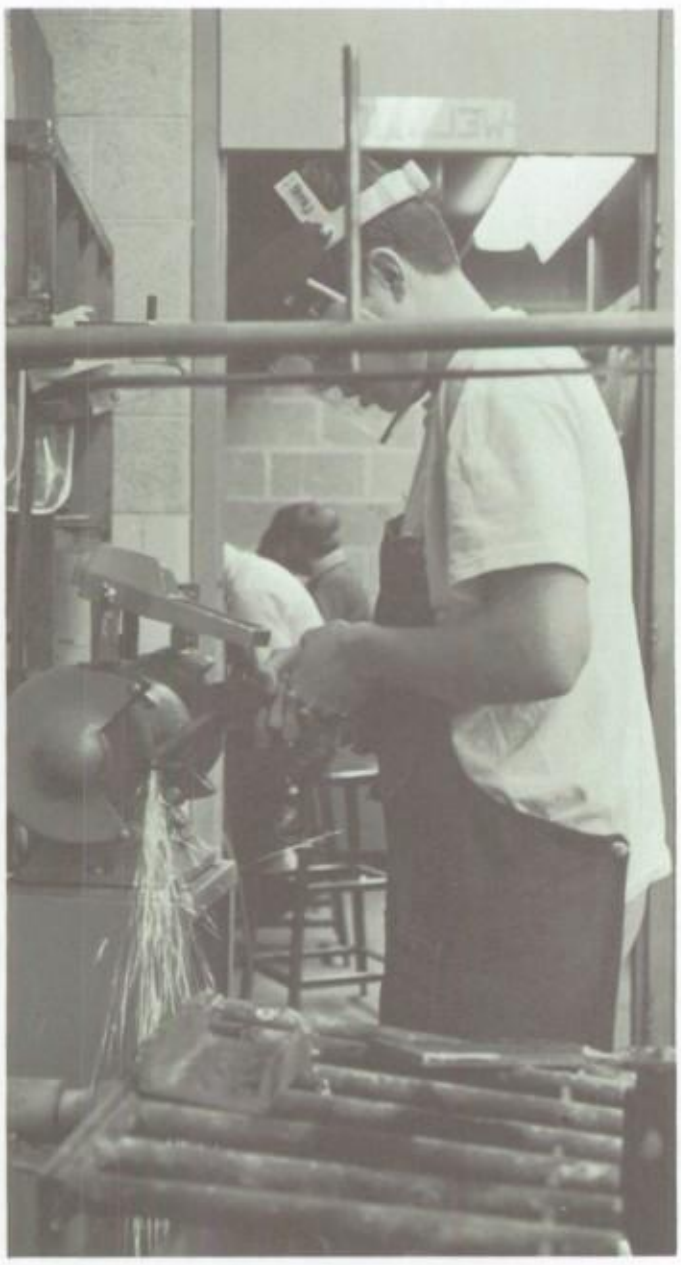
New for the auto shop was the ultimate in engine testing equipment, a Sun 10-20 engine analyzer. Also a complete Bear portable brake shop was purchased, bringing the cost of new equipment to $3,600. The graphic arts shop also received new equipment, including a strip printing machine, used for printing display types, and heat resistant rubber stamp type.

Helping a drawing student, Mr. Boyer answers another question.

W orking on a new project for her lithography class, Carol Campbell operates darkroom photographic equipment.

Dennis Helm inspects a new birch cabinet he and Carl Varley constructed for Mr. Helm's barber shop.

Sparks fly as Terry Baker's crafts project takes shape.

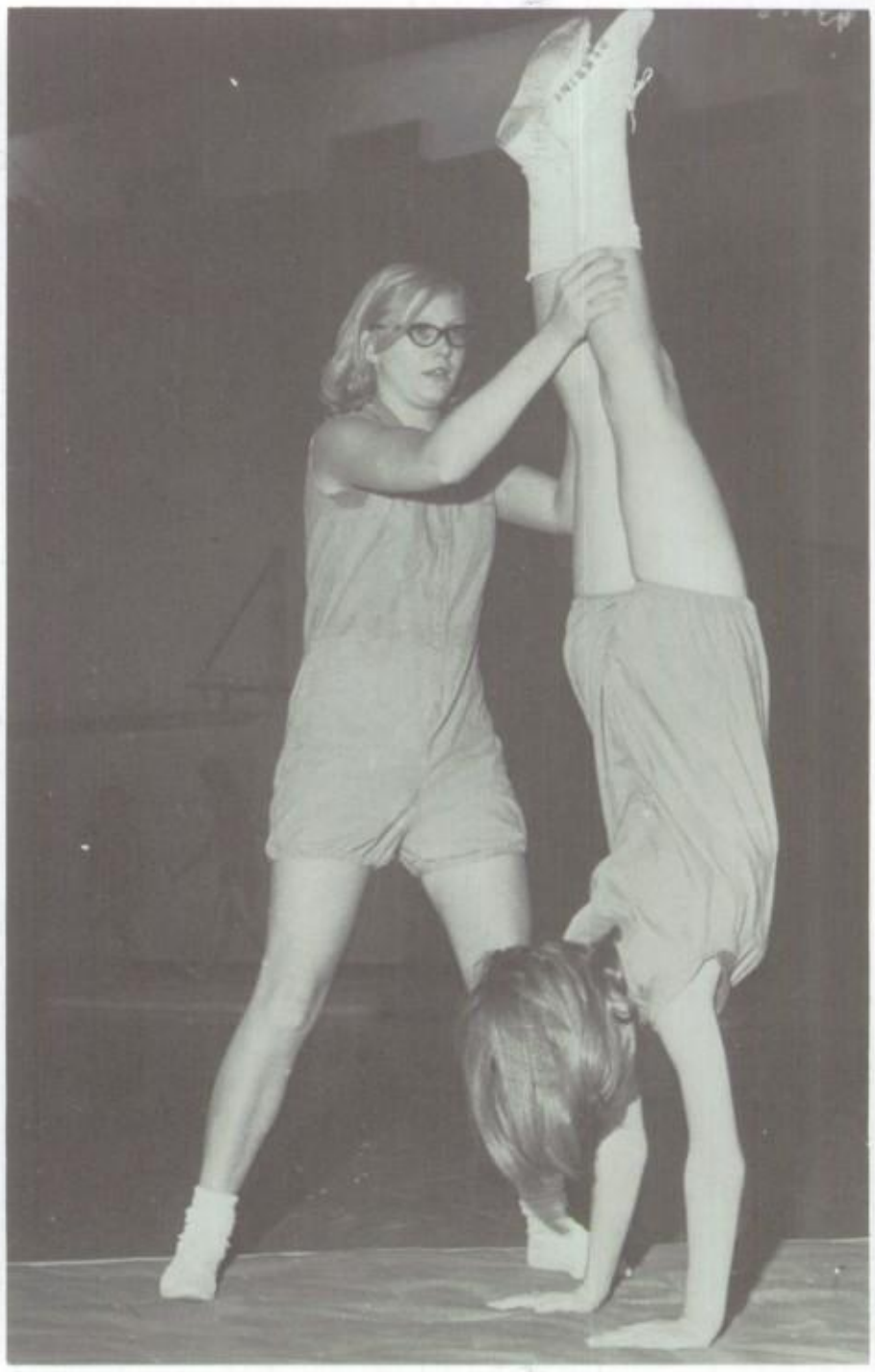


Adjusting a piece of electronic equipment, Dave Jensen explores its finer points.

Individual Sports Emphasized in Physical Education Dept.

MORE EMPHASIS was placed this year on individual sports during the winter unit of the girls' physical education program, allowing the girls to select from various areas of interest, such as modern dance, gymnastics, and rhythms. Earlier in the year, field hockey and tennis were the main activities, and the spring unit presented archery and softball. Because more sophomores took swim, the advanced swim class was discontinued. The boys' gym classes continued to stress team activities, with emphasis placed on basketball, weight lifting, and gymnastics. An addition to the teaching staff of the Physical Education Department this year was Miss Phyllis Jones, who was originally from Silver Spring, Maryland. Miss Jones previously taught in Wheaton, Maryland, before coming to Wasson.

Jill Stegner demonstrates her arabesque on the balance beam.



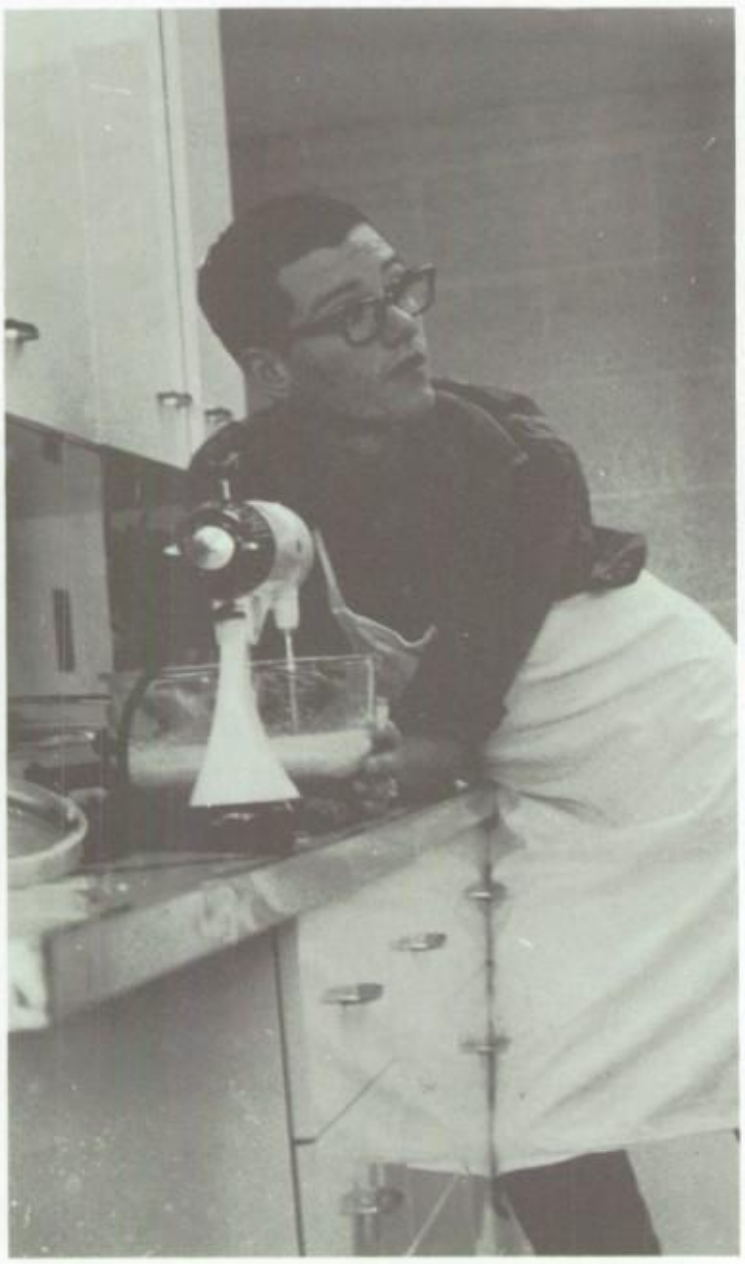
Aided by Donni Shroff, Chris Perrine demonstrates her handstand in gym.

Sophomore boys enjoy their free swim period with instructor Mr McVehil.

Examining a chart on child development are Linda Sandusky and Miss Cooper.

Donna Kensler, Mrs. Hargrove, Charlie McAllister, and Loren Pottenger admire Christmas goodies.

Dan Greene's secret formula: "Double, double, toil and trou ble, watch the cauldron boil and bubble."



Home Economics Adds New Child Development Course

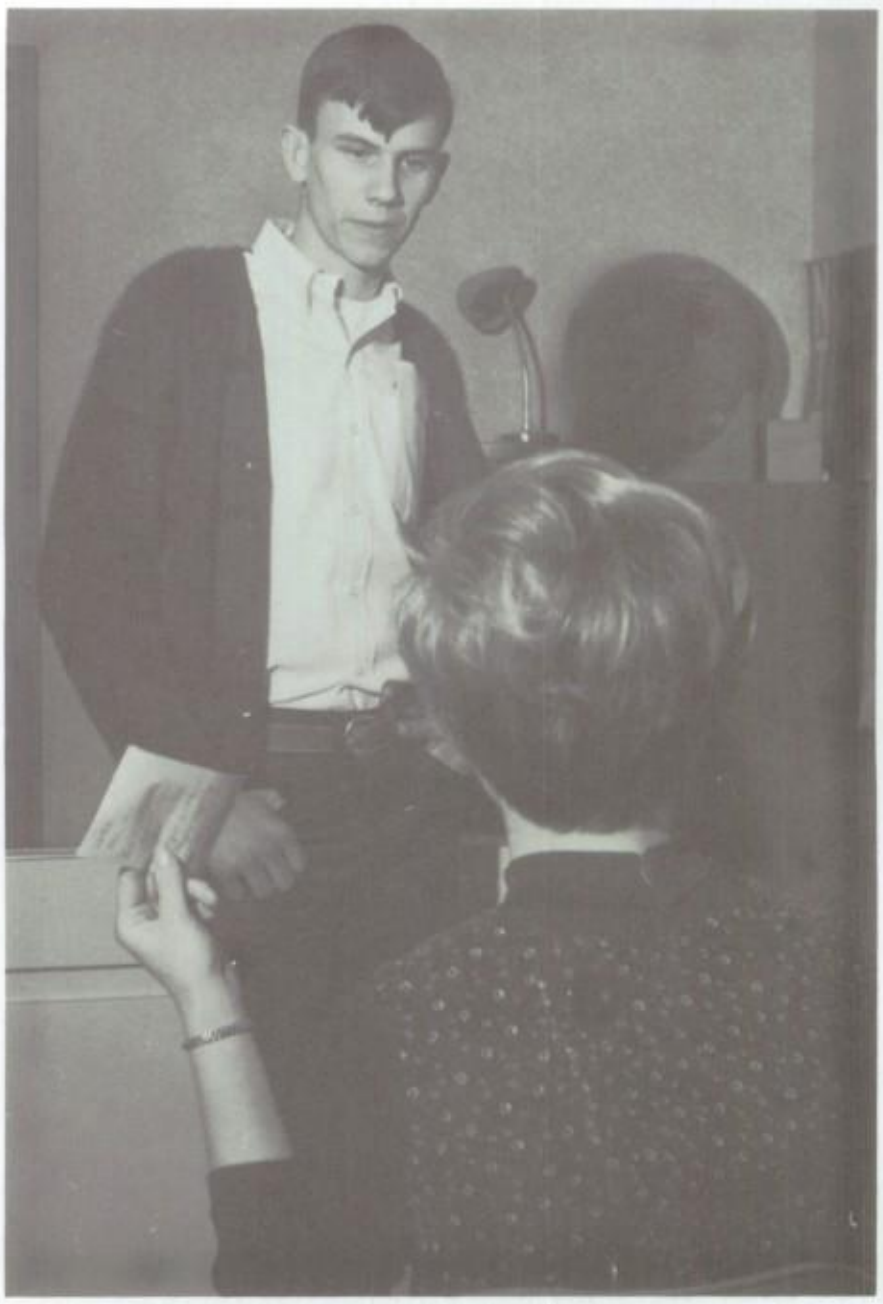
FOR THE FIRST time at Wasson a child development class was offered as a part of the Home Economics Department. This course, open only to girls, emphasized the social, emotional, intellectual, and physical development of a child in his early years. Many resource people, including pediatricians and nurses, complemented the regular classroom activities.

Among the many projects completed by the foods classes at Christmas-time were fancy cookies, candy, and other tempting goodies. Much of this food was donated to Penrose Hospital's children's ward and to St. Francis Hospital.

The Home Economics Department added one new member to its staff this year. Miss Barbara Cooper, who graduated from Colorado State University, taught the new child development class and several clothing classes.

History Change Shifts Senior Speech to Junior Curriculum

1968 MARKED the end of the "Senior Speech," and this term was replaced by "Second Semester Speech." History combined with speech became a course for juniors instead of seniors. By making this change a student was able to take speech for two consecutive years, while the senior year was left open for elective courses in speech or other subjects. Since it was impossible to have the entire junior class as well as senior class take speech at the same time, this change covered a span of two years. Sophomore speech continued in one week blocks rather than once a week for a semester. The tenth-graders were then able to do more intensive work on a variety of speech forms and topics. New to the Speech Department teaching staff was Miss Mary Ann Heller, who also taught English and sponsored Forum Club.

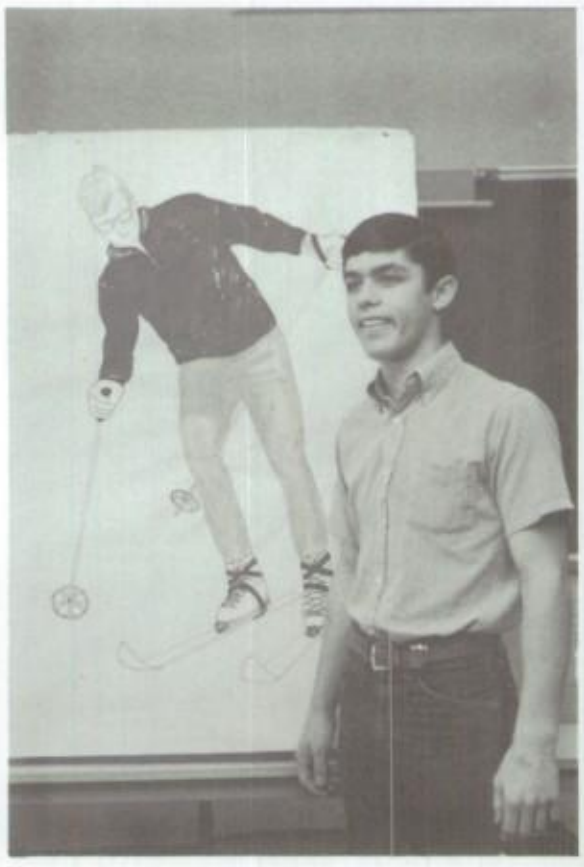


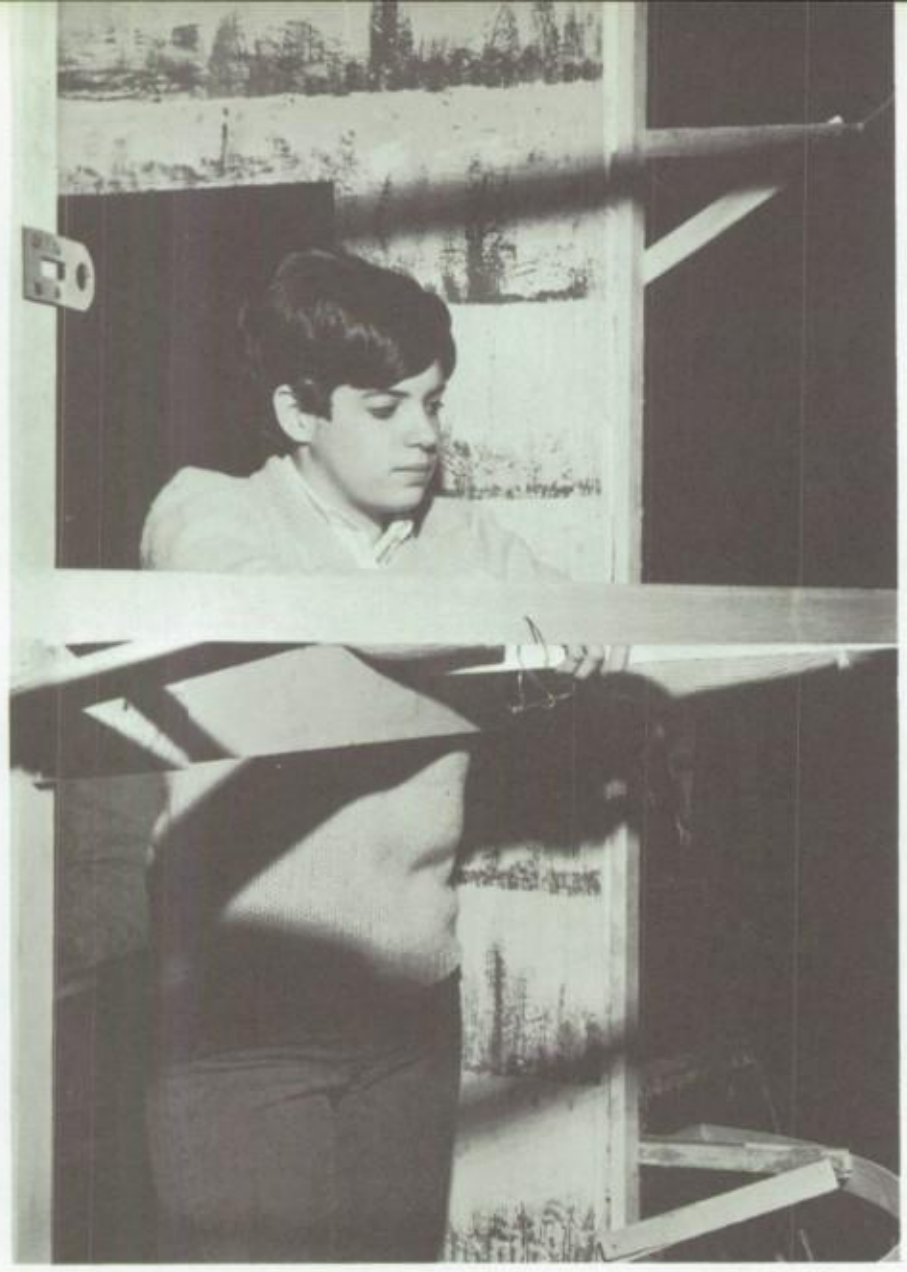
"Do you really think you can get by on one note card?" asks Miss Dater.

Is this the way you take to skis in your mind?

While the real you looks like a baggy snow bunny?

Bill Kuenning explains more in a third visual aid.



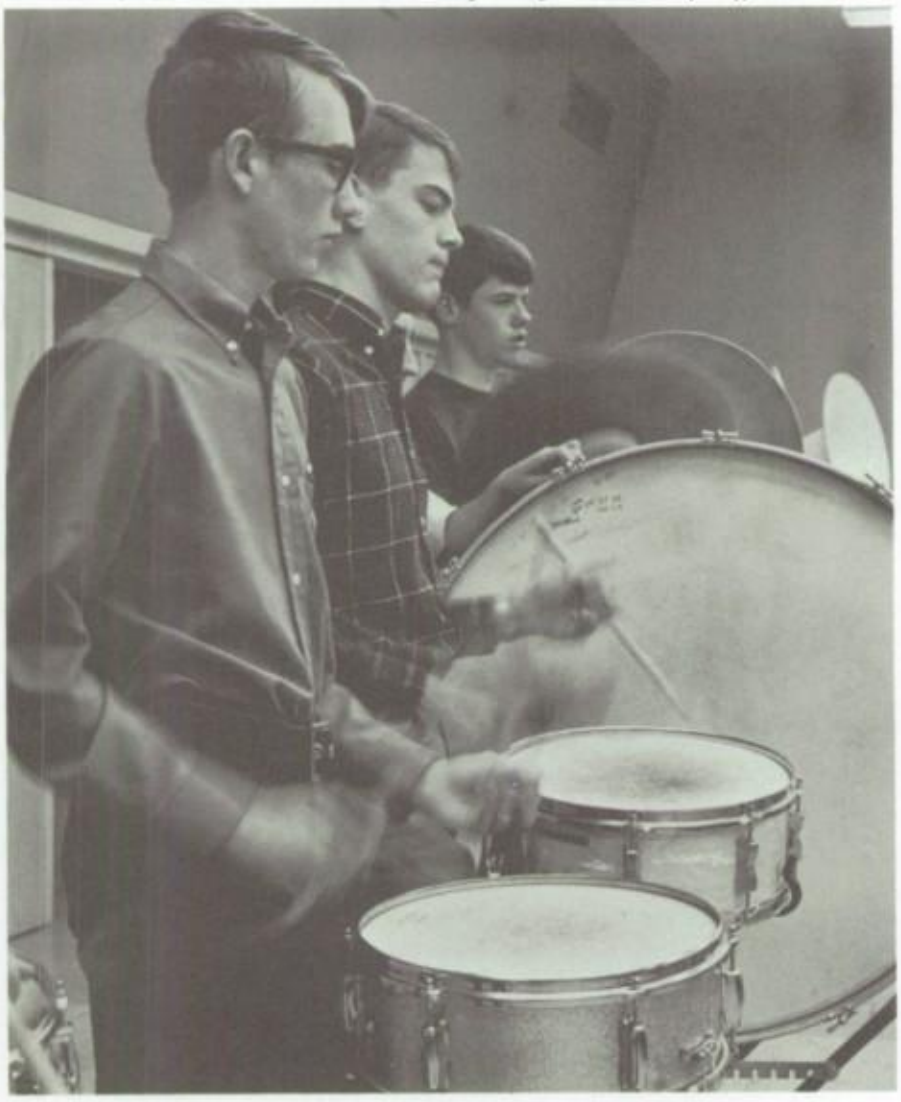


Seemingly trapped by backstage work, Francie Kraushaar helps build sets

Christy Belcher's fowl squawks erudite phrases in the reference section.

Fine Arts Department Offers Advanced Dramatics Course

The sound of music at Wasson is helped by the beat of different drums.



PARTICIPATING IN every production or assembly presented in the auditorium was one of the requirements for students in the new play production class. These advanced drama students presented **Pinocchio** to the grade school students in Colorado Springs. Other drama classes taught by Mr. Homer Paris were stagecraft, Drama I, and Drama II.

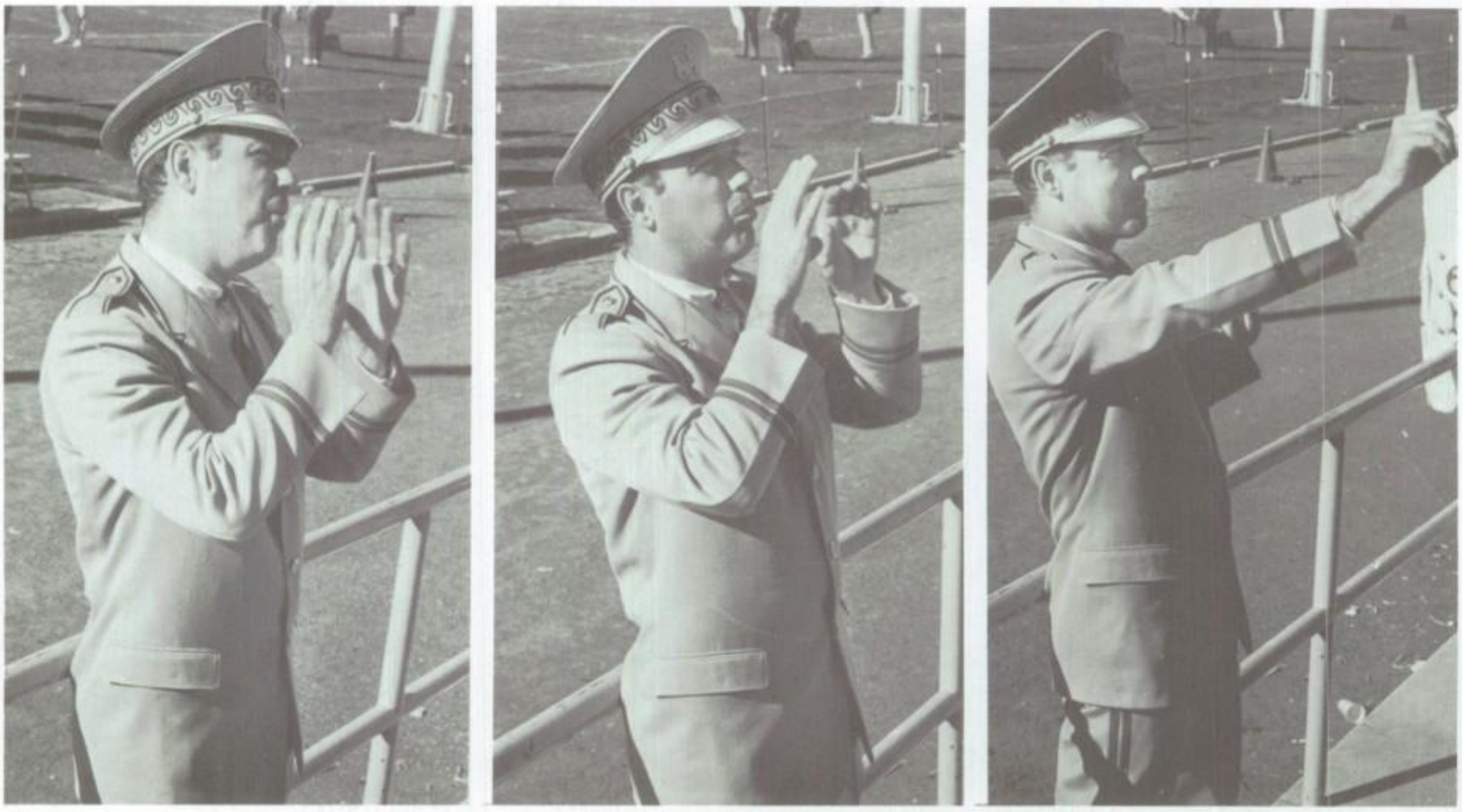
Watones, Wasson's madrigal group, made plans for a two months' summer tour of Europe. This trip, for which the singers worked hard, was to be a combination of studies and performances. The Watones' director was Mr. Charles Meeker, music director for School District Eleven.

A new arc projector for the auditorium was installed. This high powered machine created a brighter, clearer picture on the screen. The band also received new risers.

New teachers in the Fine Arts Department were Mr. Murl Sickbert and Mr. Robert Shernick. Mr. Sickbert taught orchestra, while Mr. Shernick instructed art.

Faculty Participate in Activities Outside the Classroom

At the Wasson-Palmer football game the marching band plays the "Thunderbird Song" and "Cheer, Cheer" under the direction of Mr. Mills.



ALDERTON, JOHN F.—Driver Education; B.A., M.A.

ANDERSON, MASON—Counselor; B.A.

ARNTZEN, RANDOLPH—Business; B.E.; Distributive Education Clubs of America

BARBER, JACK—Mathematics; B.A., M.A.; Future Teachers of America

BARTHLOW, NANCY—English; B.A., M.A.; National Honor Society

BEADLES, HERBERT—Business; B.A. in Bus. Ed.

BEARZI, JOHN—Music, English; B.A.

BOYER, HOMER—Industrial and Practical Arts Chairman; A.B., M.A.

BRIDGMAN, JERALD—English; B.A.; Penman

BRINER, GEORGE—Counselor; B.S., M.S.

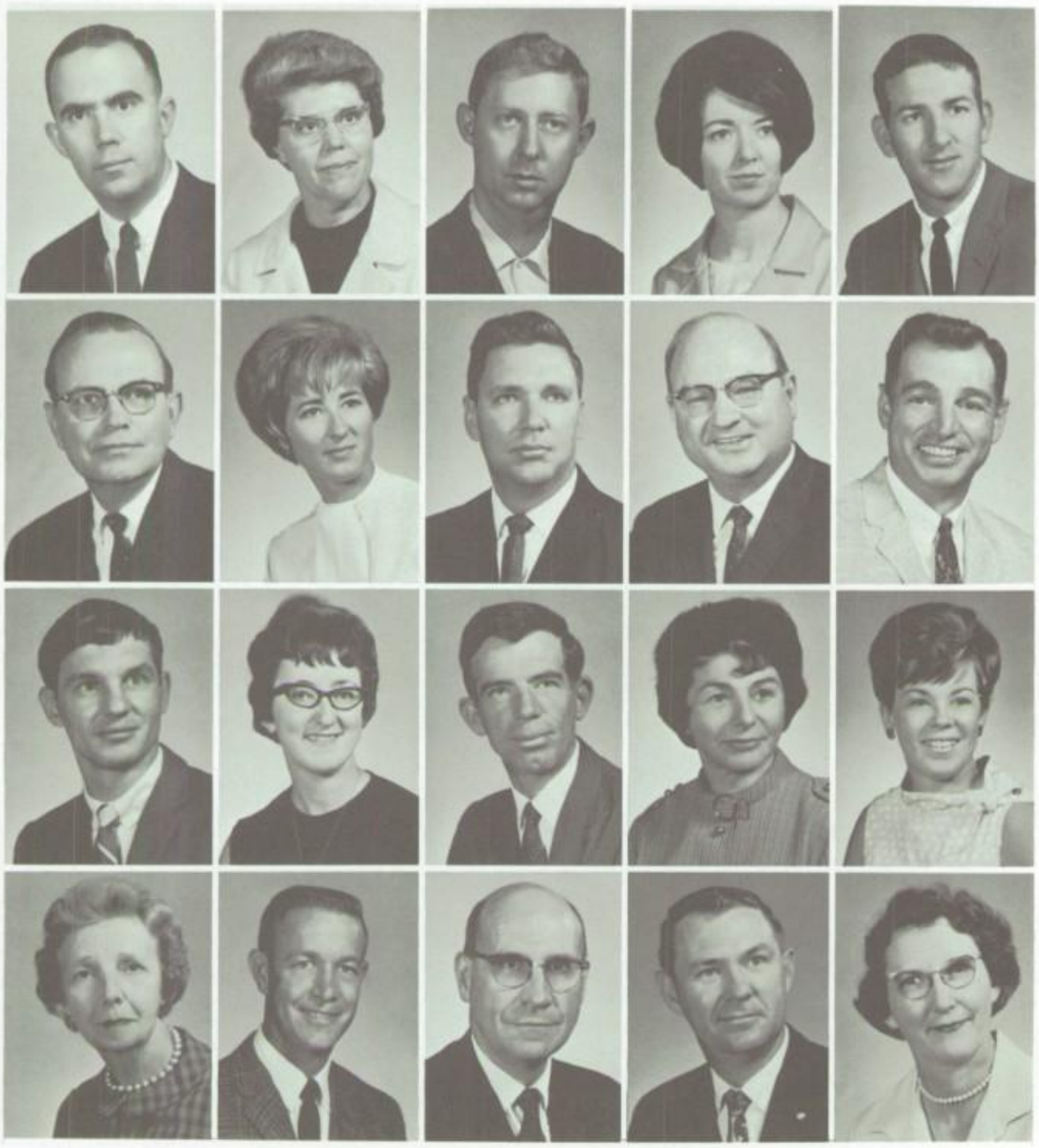
BRINTON, DONALD—Social Science; B.A., M.A.; International Relations Club, Literary Guild

BROWN, JAMES—Industrial Arts; A.B., M.A.

BUCHENAUER, KATHLEEN—Social Science; B.A., M.A.

BURGESS, WILLIAM C.—Art; B.A., M.A.

BURRIGHT, ROBERT—Social Science; B.G.E.



BYE, DELBERT—Foreign Language; B.A., Spanish Club

CASPERSON, LOIS—Science; B.S., M.A.T.; Pre-Med. Junior Class Sponsor

CLARK, GARY—Industrial Arts; B.A.

COOPER, BARBARA—Homemaking; B.S.

CRIDER, ELMER—Physical Education, Driver Education; B.A., M.A.; Wrestling, C-Squad Football

DALTON, GLENN—Science; B.E., M.A.T.

DATER, LEONA—Speech; B.A.; Forum Club

DAVIS, JACK C.—Business; B.S.

DERRICK, WILBURN—English; B.S., M.S.

FALGIEN, THOMAS—Physical Education, Social Science; B.A., M.A.; A-Squad Basketball, Football

FOSTER, JOHN—Social Science; B.A., M.A., Ed.D.

FULLMER, JUDITH—Foreign Language; B.A.

GANNON, BERNARD—English; B.S., B.A.; National Honor Society

GENTLE, REBECCA—Foreign Language; B.A., M.A.

GRAHAM, PATRICIA—English; B.A.

GRANT, MIRIAM—Counselor; B.S., M.A.

GREEN, ED—Driver Education; B.A., M.A.; B-Squad Football, Basketball

HALL, CHARLES—Social Science Chairman; B.A., M.A., Ed.D.

HAMPSON, ROBERT—Test Consultant; B.S., M.Ed.

HARGROVE, MARY ALBERTA—Home Economics; B.S., M.A.

Pep Club members find Mrs. Theune's delight gratifying as she opens presents at her bridal shower.

Mr. Cliff Brown leads the student body in singing favorite carols at Christmas.

HELLER, MARY ANN—Speech, English; B.S.; Forum Club

HIGGINS, LEE—Speech Chairman; B.A., M.A.; Forum Club

HILL, ROBERT B.—English Chairman; B.A., M.A.; Wahian

HINKLE, BETTY—English; B.A., B.S.

HISKEY, LESLIE—Mathematics; B.S.; Math Club

HOFFMAN, JON—Foreign Language; B.A.; German Club

HOFFMEISTER, BERT—Mathematics; B.A.; Student Government, Golf Coach

HOLLISTER, MARIAN—English; B.A., M.A.

HOUSEMAN, OPAL—English; B.A.

HOWE, MURIEL—English; B.A., M.A.

HUNT, CHARLOTTE—Assistant Librarian; B.A.

JOHNS, DAN—Industrial Arts; B.S., M.A.

JONES, PHYLLIS—Physical Education; B.A.; Girls' Athletic Association

KALBER, GEORGE—Director of Athletics; B.A.; A-Squad Football, Wrestling

KNIGHT, PATRICIA—Physical Education; B.S. in Ed. Thunderbelles

KNOX, MAXINE—Counselor; B.M.E., M.A.

LARSON, JAMES—Boys' Physical Education Chairman; B.A.; Gymnastics, C-Squad Football

LEADER, GLENDA—Foreign Language; B.A.; Sophomore Class Sponsor

LONG, KENNETH—Science; B.A., M.A.

LYON, THOMAS—Social Sciences; B.A.

MARTIN, PATRICIA—English; B.A.

McNATT, NYLA—Business Education Chairman; B.A., M.A.

McVEHIL, EDGAR—Physical Education; B.S.

MEEKER, CHARLES A., JR.—Music; B.M.E., M.A.; Wa-tones

MILLER, REX—Science; B.S., M.A.; Track, Cross Country

MILLS, RON—Music; B.M.E.; Thunderbird Band

NAY, SHERRY—Social Sciences; B.A.; International Relations Club

NELSON, ELIZABETH—Mathematics; B.A.; Math Club

NORTON, JOHN—Mathematics; B.S.; Inter-Club Council, Student Organization

PARIS, HOMER—Fine Arts Chairman; B.A., M.A.

PECK, ROBERT—Social Science: B.A.; Chess Club

PERSCHBACHER, PATSY—Business, B.A.

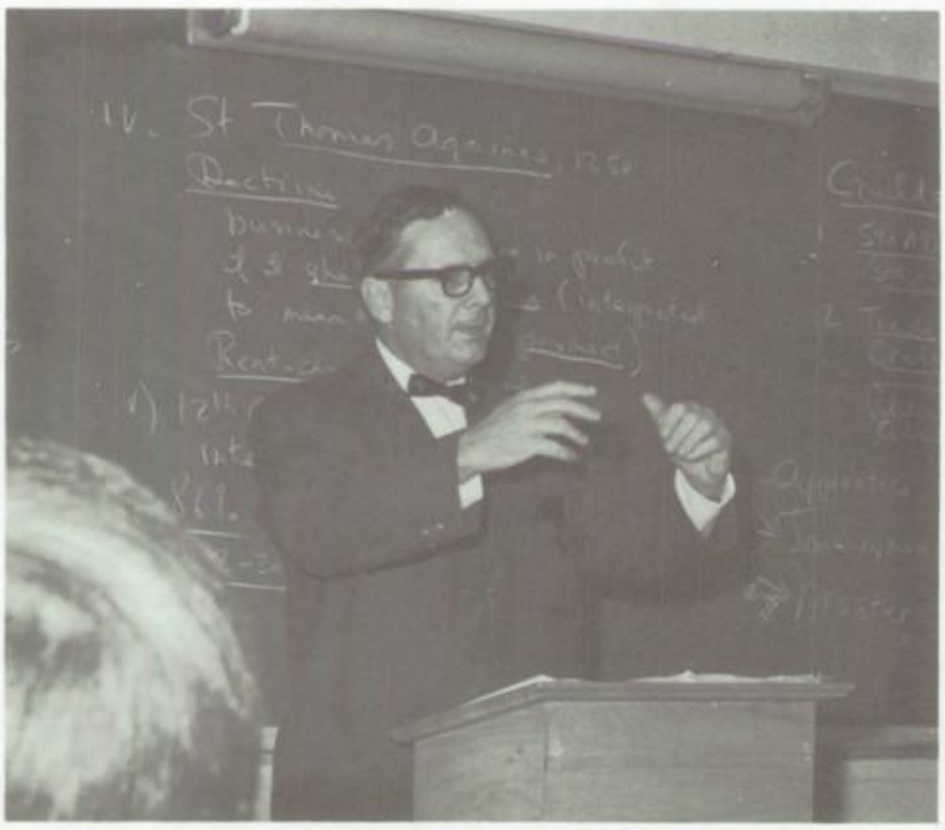
PETTY, MARGORY—Counselor; B.S., M.A.; Future Teachers of America

PUTNAM, MARTHA—Foreign Language, English; B.S.Ed.; Latin Club

RAGSDALE, ZELLA—English; A.B., M.A., B.S. in Ed.

Teachers Assume Varied Roles in the Classroom

A student's answer to one of her questions is not quite what Miss Nay expected.



Gestures help Mr. Peck to make his point during one of his history lectures.

A small stream running through a sandbox in the classroom helps Mr. Robinson explain the geography of a river.

RESER, CHARLES E.—Science; B.A., M.A., M.A.T.; Science Club

RITZMAN, JOANNA J.—Foreign Language Chairman; B.A.; Spanish Club

ROBERTS, CARL—Counseling Chairman; B.S.Ed., M.S., Tennis Coach

ROBINSON, RICHARD—Science; B.S., M.S.; Photo Club, B-Squad Football

ROTTHAUS, MARILYN—Business; B.A.; Thunderbelles

RUTHMANSDORFER, K. PATRICIA—English; B.S., M.S.

SCHENK, ROBERT—Mathematics Chairman; B.A., M.N.S.

SHANNON, GENE—Industrial Education; B.S., M.A.

SHERNICK, ROBERT—Art; B.A., M.A.; Social Committee

SIEBERS, GERTRUDE—Counselor; B.A., M.A.

SIMANSKY, ELVINA—Business; B.A.; Future Secretaries of America

SIMONS, ROBERT E.—English; B.A., M.A.; T-Bolt, Quill and Scroll

SMITH, J.W.—Industrial Education; B.A., M.Ed

SMITH, ROBERT E.—Social Science; B.A., M.A.

SMUTKA, JAMES D.—Business; B.A.; Future Business Leaders of America

SPAULDING, HELEN—Girls' Physical Education Chairman; B.S., M.S.

SPRIEGEL, KAREN—Social Science; B.A., M.A.T., M.S.

STONER, LOIS—English; B.A.

STOLNS, JOE—Social Science; B.A., M.A.

SWANSON, KAREN—English; B.A.; Pep Club

TALBOTT, CHRISTOPHER C.—Physical Education; B.A.; Varsity Football, B-Squad Basketball , J. V. Baseball

THATCHER, DWAIN—Mathematics; B.A., M.S.

THEUNE SUSAN—Social Sciences; B.A.; Pep Club

TORRIE, NORMA—Mathematics; B.A.; Senior Class Sponsor

WAITE, HOWARD—Business; B.S.

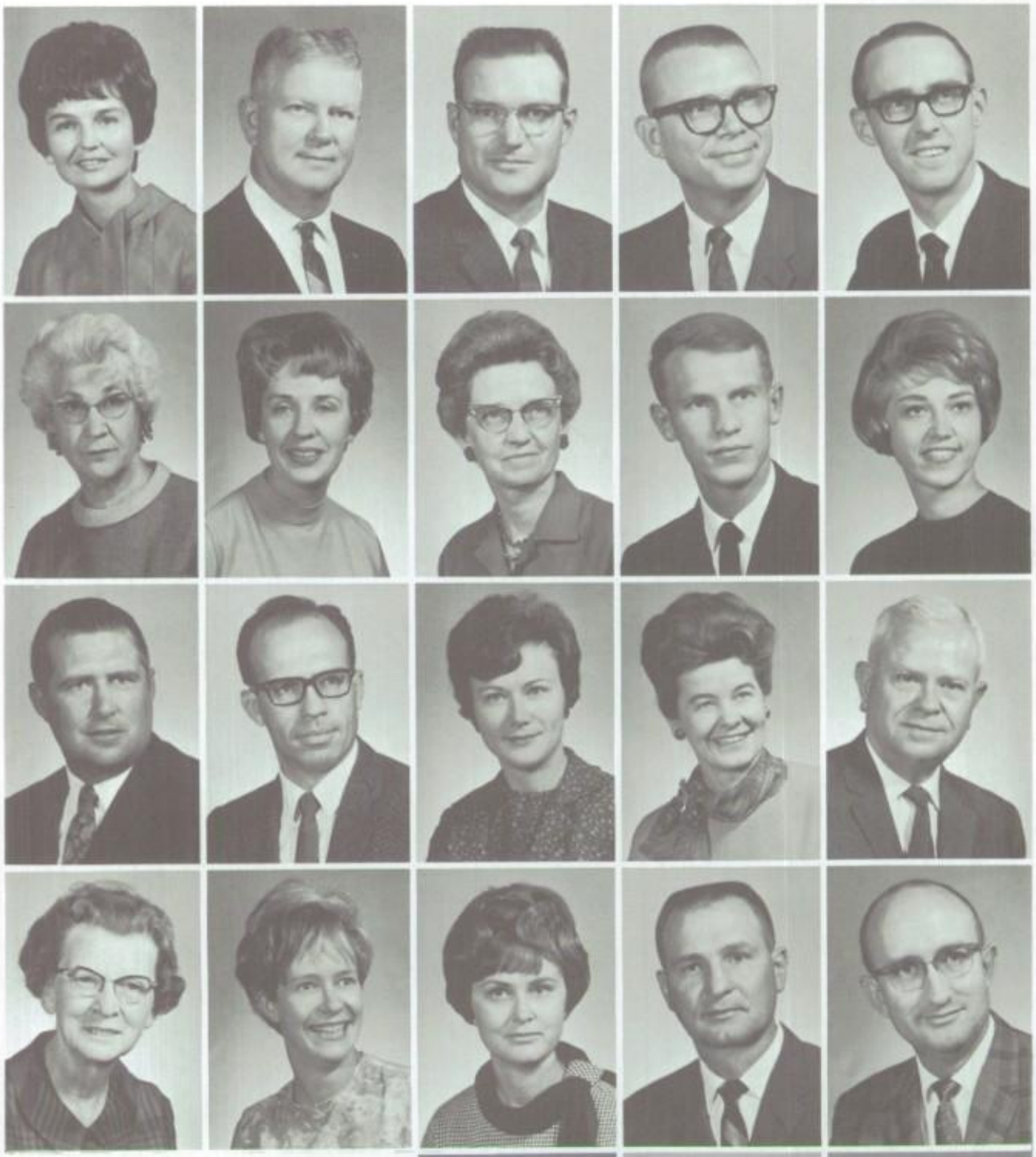
WALLINGFORD, FRANCES E.—English; A.B., M.A.; National Honor Society

WASHBURN, PATRICIA—Social Science; A.B.

WERSCHKY, JUDITH—English, Foreign Language; B.A.

WESTBAY, RICHARD—Social Science; B.A., M.A.; A-Squad Football, Track

WILDER, CLARK—Science Chairman; B.A., M.A.T.



WORRELL, ELIZABETH D.—Librarian; A.B., A.B. in Library Science

YOST, DEAN—Science; B.A.

ZECHA, ROBERT—Mathematics; A.B.

CARRITHERS, ROMA—Library Secretary

CHRISTIANSEN, ILENE—Secretary to Counselors

KRAFT, DELORES—Secretary in Business Office

MERVINE, AUDRADEE—Receptionist

OLSON, ELAINE—Educational Secretary

PUTNAM, KATHRYN—Secretary

READ, MARGARET—Registrar

ROBERTS, DEWEY—Audio-Visual Co-ordinator

SHUMAKER, ALICE M.—Assistant Registrar

TURNER, LETA M.—Educational Secretary

VAN DER WEGE, VIOLA—Secretary for Data Processing

Service Personnel Work to Keep Wasson Functioning Well

FRONT ROW: June Power, Lillian Shelton, Clara Durall, Erna Fisk, Barbara Maynard, Beatrice Strayer, Viola Lee. ROW TWO: Rosemary Isley, Henrietta Wolsleben, Virginia Paulk, Grace Watkins, Mary Haley, Sally Pflum, Irma E. Koenig, Hannah H. Whitmore. BACK ROW: Leo C. Cusick, J. Pickens, Clifford Brown, Oscar S. Swanson, Ted L. Travis, Richard Williams, David Kane, Tom Bohne. NOT PICTURED: Amelia Dunn, Dave Ackroyd, Charles Dodd, Alfred McTeer, Don Roberts, Ray Maez, Herman Scott, Eleanor Sims, Herbert Teeter.

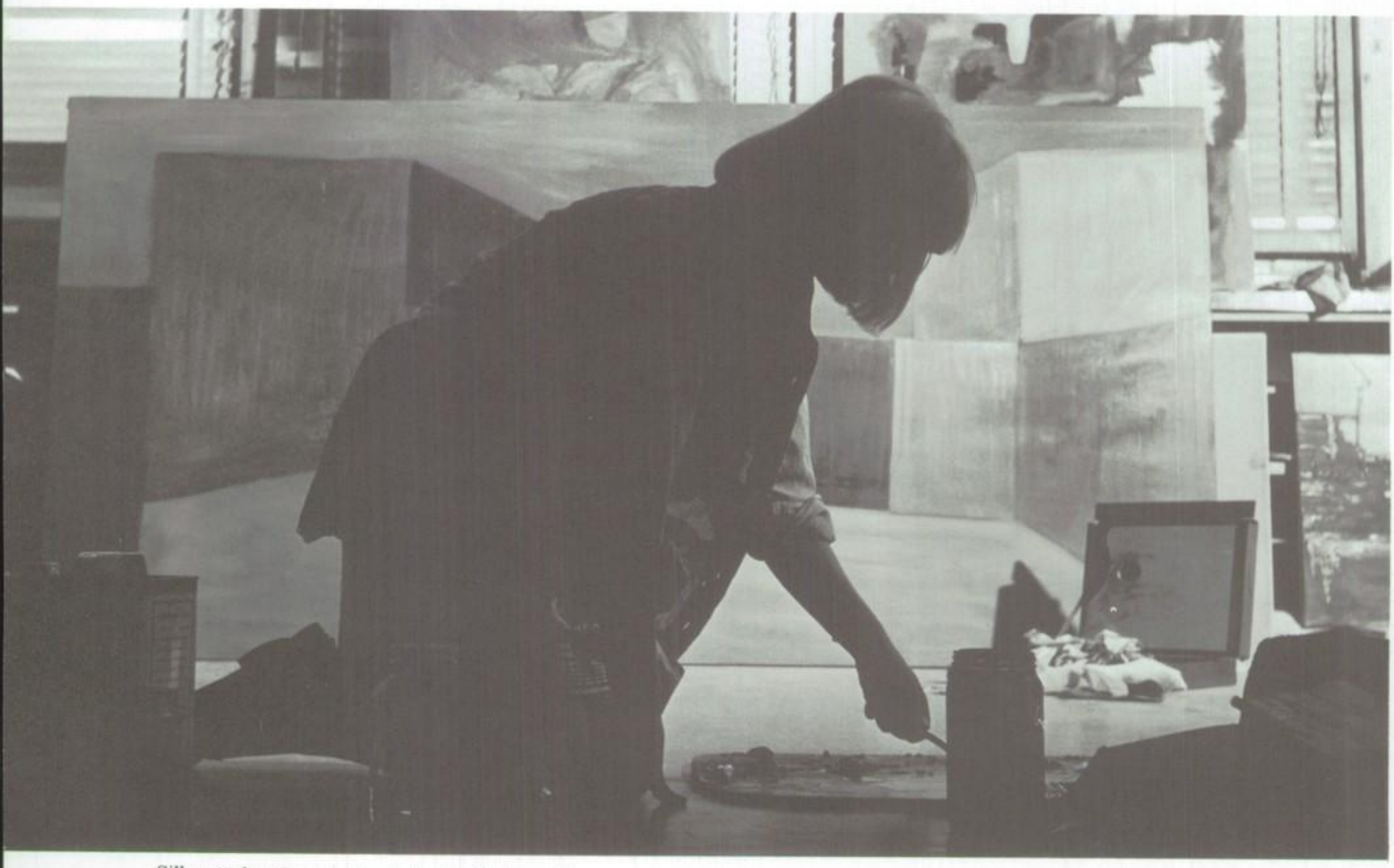
Benny — Well these years in Math have been just unreal. But they Have really been fun. You're really a kill and it's great being around you. You really know how to livin' up a class. I hope you have loads of fun this summer & in the future. Good luck at CC — you'll love it, I hope!! Be good and keep cool; not too cool mind you. Don't be left at in the [redacted] warm. If that occurs, dient you know what — FRESCA!!!! Oh NO!!! You better [illegible] away from [illegible] Anyway — take care!

Don't you dare change — hear?
Bank Franklin
"Red"

Fine Arts

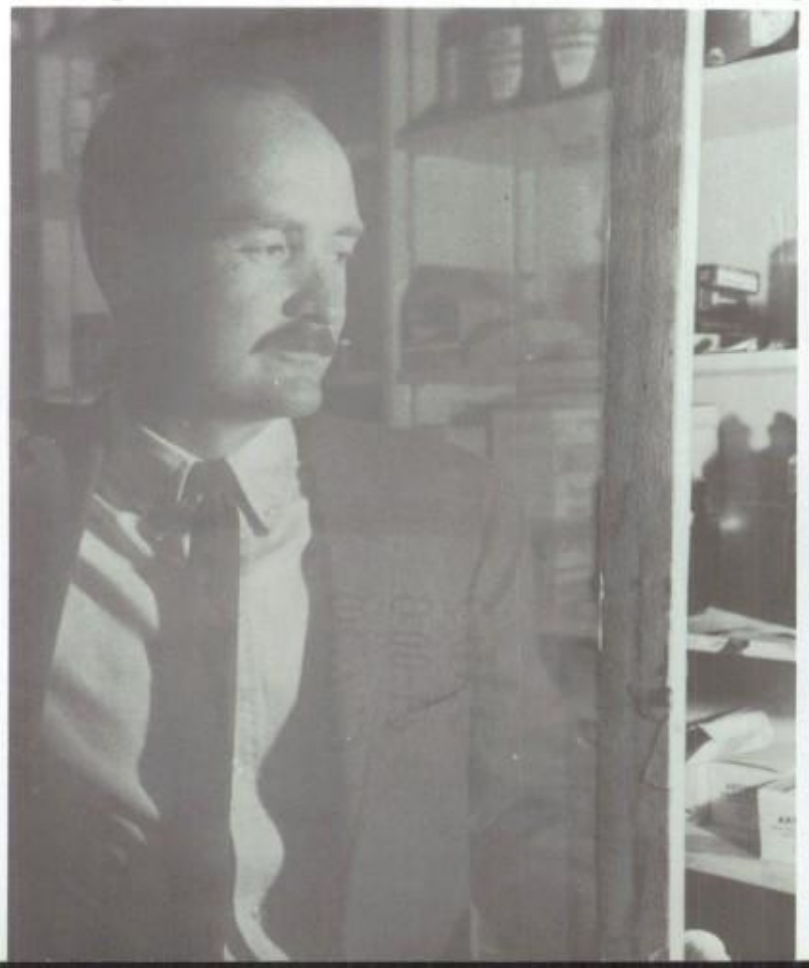
Water splashing, color raging, people seeking . . . Fine indeed. Created by the expressive, uninhibited mind, the mind not coerced. The most exquisite accomplishments possible by mankind simply because they are totally spontaneous . . . totally voluntary. Creations of interest and inspiration unaware of such external forces as duty or necessity or obligation. Painting, drawing, sculpture, architecture. Literature, drama, music, dance. Esthetic in nature . . . can they ever hope to be more than crude attempts of that within? A kaleidoscopic exhibition found among paintings, sketches, sculptures, silk-screens . . . miniature magnificence in the mood of Shakespeare, Chekhov, and O'Neill: character created, voices heard, sympathy sought . . . musical madness pushing forward stomping feet, clapping hands, contemplative thought: band, orchestra, choir. All of that which rises to the top when deep people are unleashed in all of their potential. Fine arts, arts so fine. Meaningful man mightily motivated to surpass simple stagnation. Fine arts, arts so fine.

Guest Speakers and Field Trips



Silhouetted against an oil painting by Jim Marrell, Christy Belcher prepares her paint palette.

Mr. Burgess instructs students in tne techniques of silk screening.



Supplement Arts Curriculum

Throwing on the potter's wheel, Kenny Day utilizes one of the new pieces of equipment which gave the art room a "face lifting."

EXHIBITIONS, GUEST speakers, and field trips highlighted the 1967-68 school year for the art classes. Students' works were displayed at two art exhibits in the fall and spring. In September the first exhibit, which was done by summer school students, greeted returning T-Birds in the library. In May the Fine Arts Center featured an exhibition by advanced art students from the several Colorado Springs high schools.

Al Wynne, an art professor from the University of Colorado, was one of the guest speakers arranged through the Arts and Humanities Program. The effects of these visits were seen by the many new techniques used in painting, sculpture, drawing, and printing. Also, throughout the year field trips were taken to the Fine Arts Center.

Jeanette Pairo poses for art students, while Jan Stresemann sketches on background details to be added in oils.

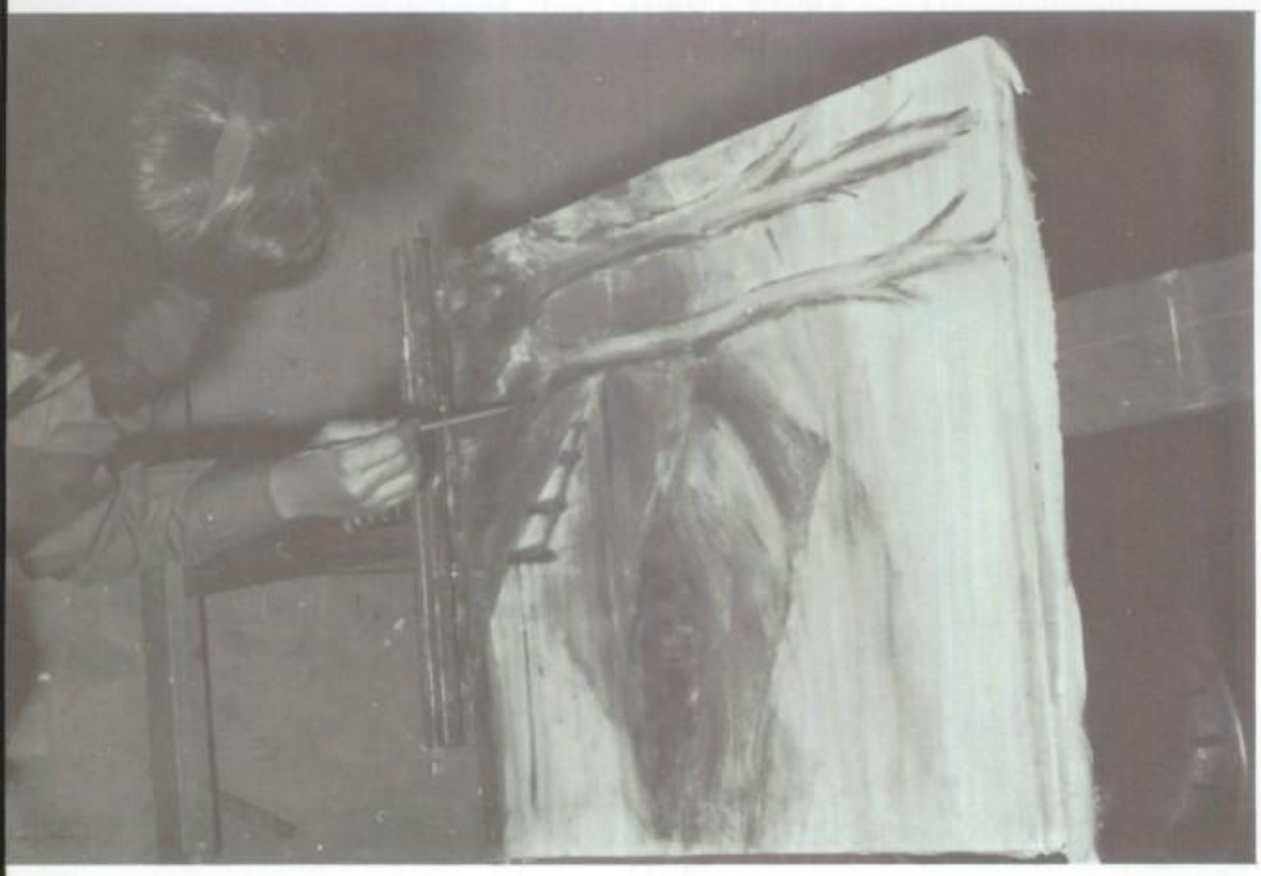
Ben,
There's something about signing the annual of a stranger while sitting on the grass. It's sort of exciting. But not very. Oh. Happy New year and all that. This is great. I bet 30 years from now you'll say, "Who is she?" That's a good question. But not very.

flower? → ✿

Tina Cervantes
'68.

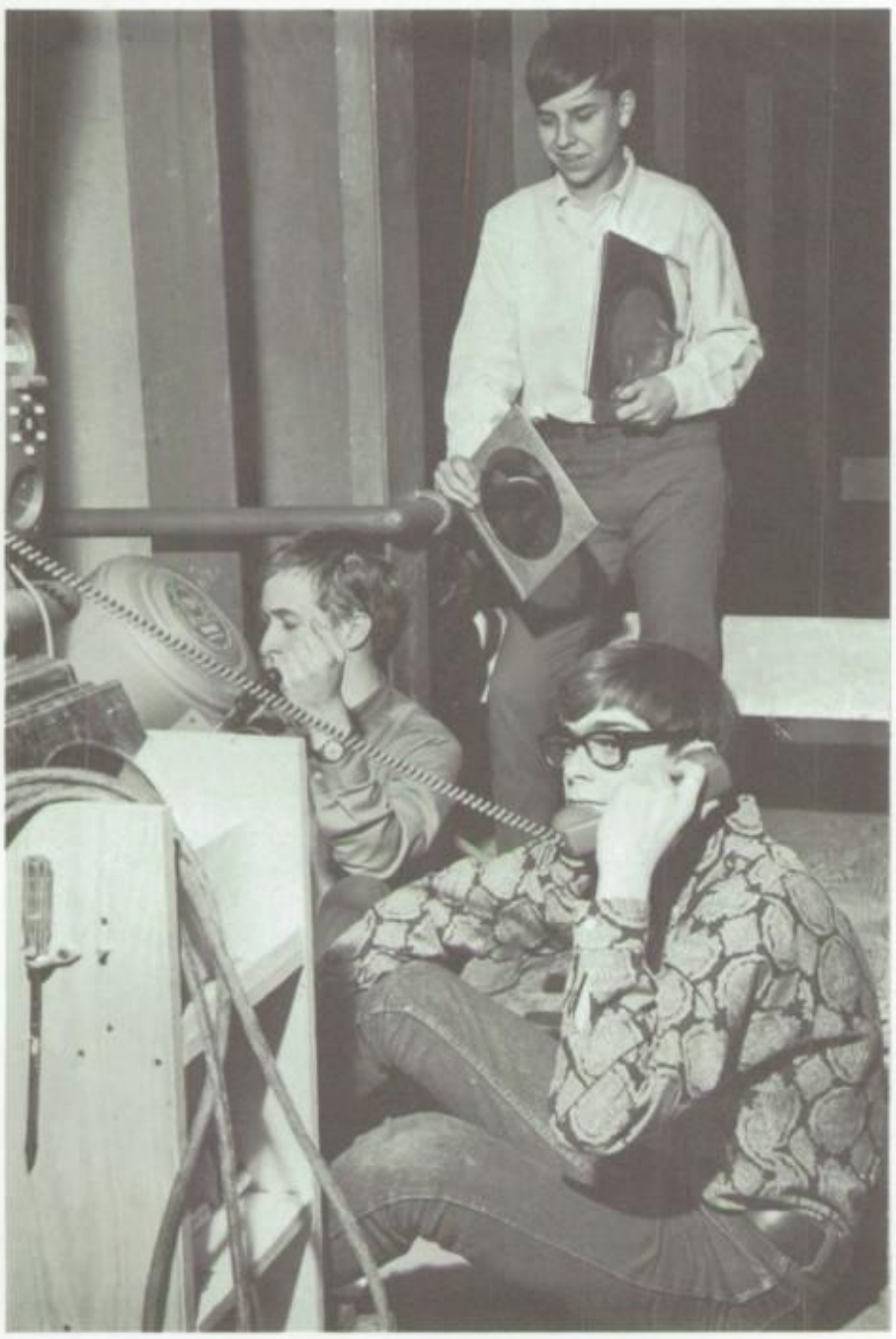
Fall and Spring Art Exhibits Display Wasson's Talent

BY PROVIDING AN opportunity for students to display their work, the art shows at Wasson encouraged greater creative self-expression. The works exhibited in both shows, which included paintings, drawings, prints, and sculptures in wood, plaster, metal, clay, and papier mache', were chosen for excellence, variety, and originality by the art instructors, Mr. Burgess and Mr. Shernick. While the first art show, which was held in library in September, was intended primarily for Wasson students, the display at the Fine Arts Center in May attracted over 10,000 viewers. This show, held jointly with other District 11 art classes, was comprised of work done in both regular art classes and summer school art classes, but the September show was limited to works created by summer school students only.



During 4th period art class, Sandy Davis, advanced art student, perfects her landscape.

Pam Hurley, junior, reflects on a wood sculpture created in summer school art class by John Cummings, also a junior.



With the aid of telephoned instructions, these stage crew members, Steve Keeton, Larry Ausec, and Sean Anglum, operate the catwalk spotlight.

Drama Classes Initiate Children's Theater Project

FOR THEIR FIRST projects of this year, Wasson's drama classes prepared the Christmas program, **The Littlest Angel,** and experimented with production of drama for children. **Pinocchio** was the first play which they performed for the elementary school children. Besides producing these special programs, the drama classes, in cooperation with the drama clubs, were responsible for producing all plays and concerts presented in the auditorium.

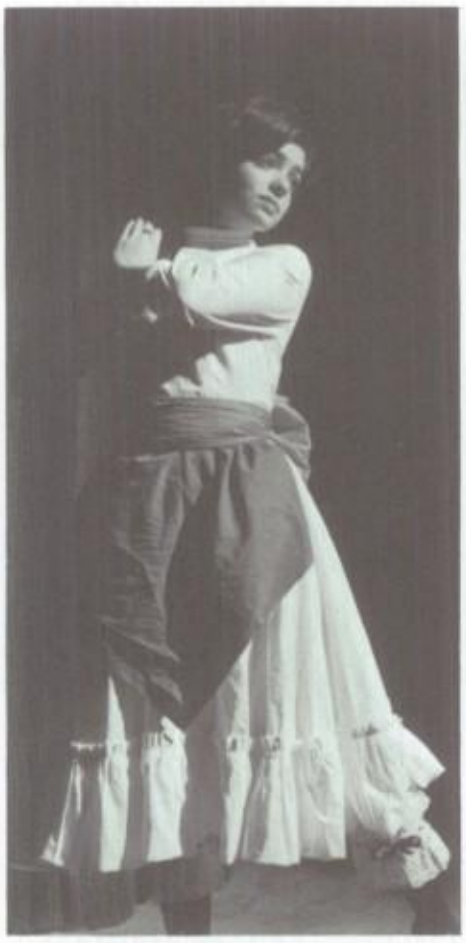
There were three types of drama classes. By building sets and working on stage crews for assemblies and plays, the stagecraft class provided a service to Wasson. While play production class was composed of students who already had acting experience and wanted to gain practice in producing plays, drama students made up the casts for the various programs.

According to Mr. Paris, drama instructor, the drama classes have three main objectives. The first is to teach creative self-expression, and the second is to further the students' knowledge of the art of the theater. The last objective is to create within the students a better understanding of literature.

Apparently Darcy Kennedy has cut too much off of Sherry Kerns' hair in this amusing 6th period drama class skit.

Wasson Melodrama Claims She's "Only an Orphan Girl"

Gail Griffith warbles that she's "A Bird in a Gilded Cage."

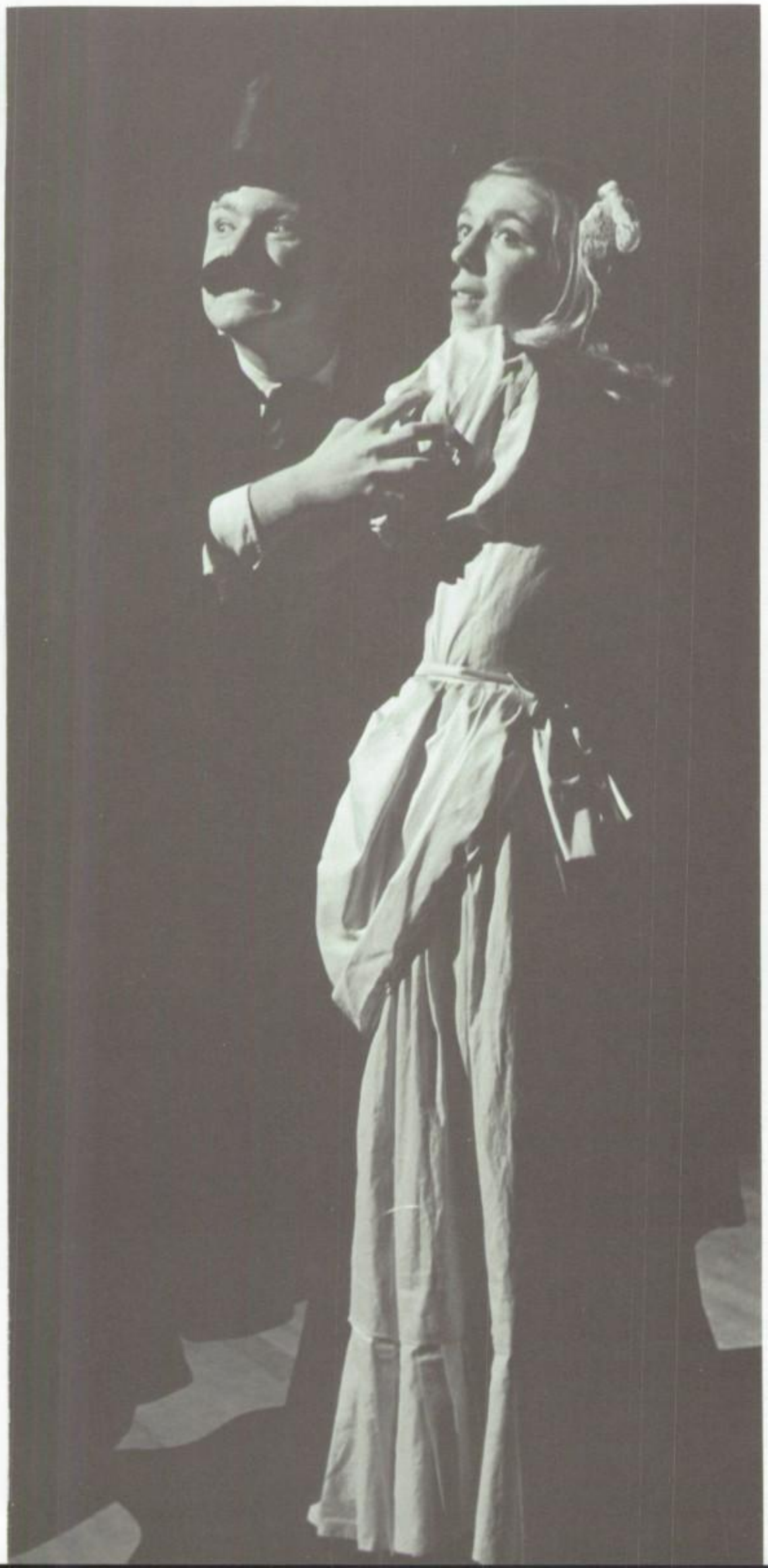


Promising her "pale-browed lover" that "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight" is Frances Kraushaar in one of the olios.

Phil Berry reminisces as he walks down "The Sidewalks of New York."

In another olio act, Bev Hunt invites the audience to "Tea for Two."

ANOTHER "FIRST" was recorded at Wasson this fall when the Drama Club presented the first melodrama ever given at a local high school. **Only an Orphan Girl,** under the direction of Mr. Homer Paris, featured audience participation and olios between the acts. Nellie, the "friendless orphan from the poorhouse," finds a home with Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and their son, Dick, the "Hercules of the hayfields." Enter Arthur Rutherford amid boos and hisses — the villain of the story and the uncle of Nellie. He plots to marry Nellie, collect his dead brother's estate, and then MURDER (Gad!) the unsuspecting Nellie. Arthur steals Mr. Perkins' mortgage money and promises "Marry me and the mortgage will be yours!" However, Dick returns from the city with the money and saves Nellie from her death at the edge of a circular saw. Arthur leaves, muttering, "Curses! Foiled again!"



Terror fills the heart of Ethel Rutherford when Widow Appleby accuses her of stealing the mortgage.

"Come! A kiss to seal the bargain!"

"No, no!" pleads Nellie as she struggles with the villainous Arthur Rutherford.

MAJORETTES—FRONT TO BACK: Carole Hadix; Karen Peters; Charlotte King; Nancy Neifert; Linda Pattison; Cathy Maxedon; Rhonda Cowan, head Majorette.

During fourth period. Band rehearses for a concert.

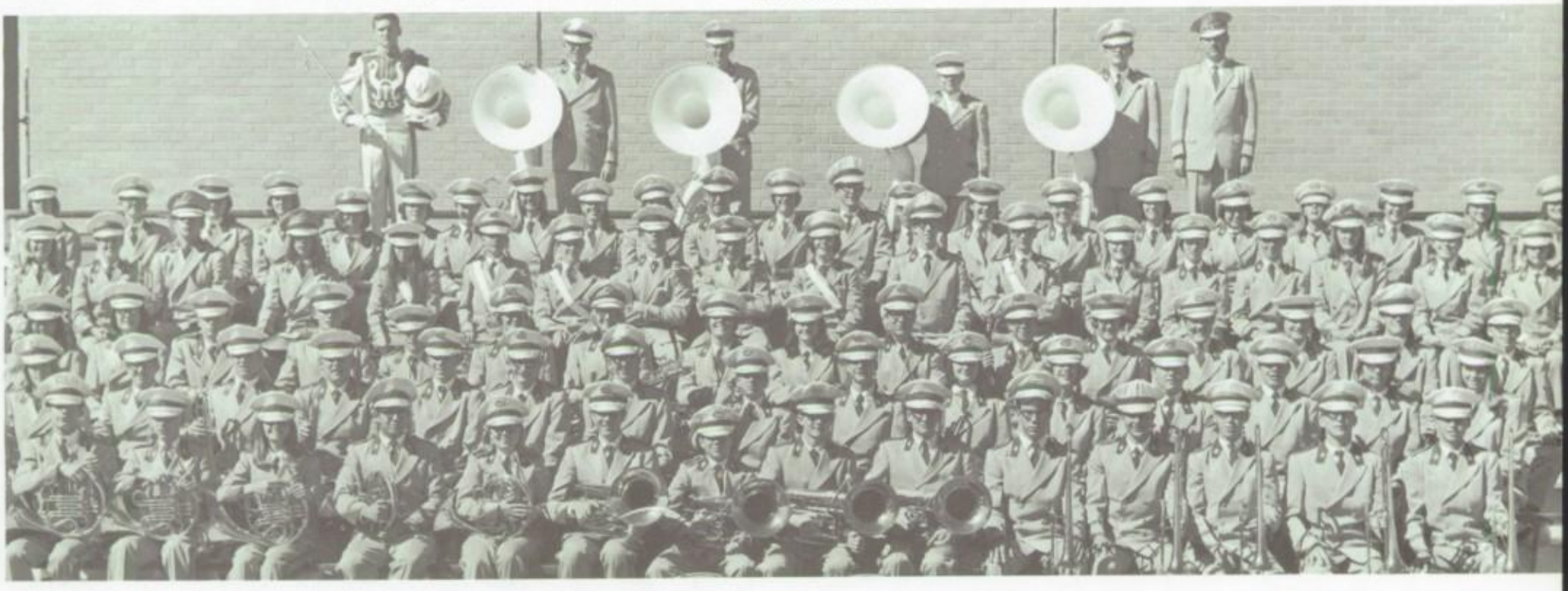
T-Bird Band Attends All-State Competition

W. L. Whaley displays the intricacies of the trumpet in Band Class.

"THIRD TRUMPET, you're out of step! Let's try it again from the beginning." Members of the Thunderbird Marching Band staged early practices every morning at seven o'clock. Combining hard work, long hours and talent, the T-Bird Band, under the direction of Mr. Ronald Mills, received the highest possible rating, a "superior," at the Boulder Band Day. The band was evaluated on the basis of marching ability, technique and general appearance. In February, the band attended the All-State Competition at Greeley.

Fulfilling its basic function of promoting morale and enthusiasm, the Thunderbird Band played at all the home games during the football season. Several excellent performances were given with the assistance of the drum majors, the majorettes and head majorette Rhonda Cowan.

T-BIRD BAND — FRONT ROW: Steve Bobbitt, Arlyn Ubben, Marcy Bruski, Mark Donnell, Becky Knudsen, Brian Dreger, Gordon Seibel, Scott Kerr, Dan Turner, Jerry Zoellner, Jerry Buchholz, Jay Rodman, Paul Martin, Randy Rodes. SECOND ROW: Debbie Lancaster, Marlin Rhodebeck, W. L. Whaley, Elliott Asp, Mike Ramsey, Rob MacIver, Rich Buckingham, Dennis Fisher, Ron Winne, Jill Wake, Kay Nielson, Dick Stapel, Marlo Langman, Sharon Anderson, Jackie Depew. THIRD ROW: Jean Howells, Sherri Hekkers, Alan Combs, Tom Cleek, Mark Dyer, Kathleen Jensen, Geni Heppner, Candace Hurst, Jerilyn Emanuelson, John Sandefur, Randy Dudzinski, Linda Simpson, Dorthea Slater, Barb Meyer, Richard Cotton, Russ Santerre. FOURTH ROW: Patty Heyse, Deborah Duncan, Rick Craig, Nancy Hanson, Carol Scott, Steve McFarlin, Jim Noxon, Charlie Osburn, Carl Varley, Margaret Lewis, Albie Urban, Bill Somers, Karen Culp, Becky Walker, Dave Young, Charlotte Thompson, Becky Mullison, Chris Suter. FIFTH ROW: Roxie Anderson, Roger Bradshaw, Ann Higginson, Pat Von Reuden, Julie Akers, Doris Holcomb, Jill Stegner, Kathy Graham, Gini Ledbetter, Denise Rodgers, Steve Powell, Susan Dopp, Craig Thompson, LaRue Ebersole, Cathy Butkovich, Mary McCann, Pam Emdia, JoAnne Padilla, Elaine Robinson, Debbie Almstead, Jan York, Shar Ball. BACK ROW: John Knippers, Paul Carlton, Doug Rains, Mary O'Donnell, Charlie Zerbe, Mr. Ronald Mills.



During a rehearsal, Mr. Mills directs the Symphonic Band.

Amid stage lights, Paul Carlton adds to the sound of the Symphonic Band.

Symphonic Band Attends All-State Band Competition

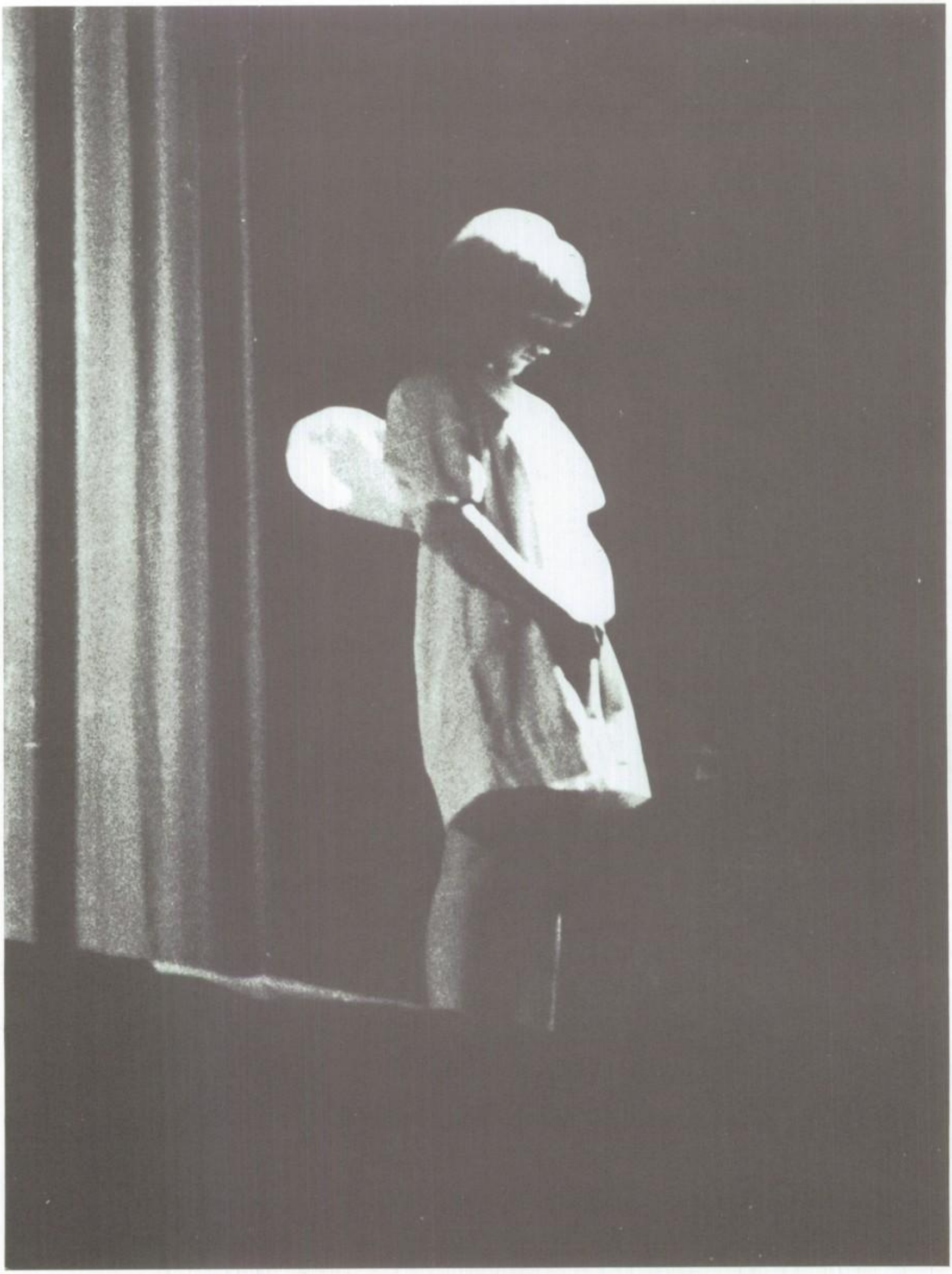
WHAT MAKES A good band? Talent and practice do, according to this year's Symphonic and Stage Bands.

Together with the smaller Concert Band, Symphonic Band rehearsed every morning during fourth hour. Symphonic Band was composed of people chosen from the T-Bird Band on the basis of playing ability and sight reading. Concerts were given in January, February and May.

Stage Band was formed by interested students with the help of Mr. Ronald Mills. Stage Band played with the Symphonic Band during several concerts, and, in May, attended a Stage Band Workshop at Colorado College.

SYMPHONIC BAND — FRONT ROW: Jill Stegner, John Hutte, Debbie Olmstead, LaRue Ebersole, Kathy Graham, Barb Meyer, Jean Howells, Sherri Hekkers, Debbie Berwick, Charlotte Thompson, Becky Mullison, Patty Heyse, Chris Suter, Ann Higginson, Susie Brunk. ROW TWO: Elaine Robinson, Julie Akers, Denise Rodgers, Kem Madden, Gini Ledbetter, Mary McCann, Denise Helm, Peter Hilbricke, Arlyn Ubben, Marcy Bruski, Becky Knudsen, Don McCurdy, Ken Mills, Debbie Lancaster, Mary Clare O'Donnell, Rob MacIver, Henry Hornet, Dave Boyles, Henry Schwartz, Elliot Asp, Mike Ramsey, Gualliame Smith, Jim Ayres, Ron Winne, Richard Buckingham, Kay Nielson, Dave Tyree, Marlin Rhodebeck, Jan Bergman, Don Robbins, Candace Hurst, Jerilyn Emanuelson, Roger Bradshaw, Karen Culp, Roxie Anderson, Becky Walker, Debbie Duncan. ROW THREE: David Young, JoAnne Padilla, Roberta Dranes, Steve Powell, Cathy Butkovich, Pat Von Rueden, John Lakey, Nancy Hanson, Carol Scott, Margaret Lewis, Albie Urban, Carl Varley, Charlie Osburn, Paul Martin, Jerry Zoellner, Jay Rodman, Jerry Buchholz, Chas. Vicroy Marl, Barry Johnson, Randy Rodes, Mason Norwood, Brian Dreger, Ron Hopper, Gordon Seibel, Danny Green, Deborah Graham, Kathy Jensen, Mark Dyer, Franklin C. Schwartz, John Knippers, Alan Combs. BACK ROW: Linda Simpson, Sharon Anderson, Jackie Depew, Marlo Langman, Earnest Fitzgerald, Richard Cotton, Mr. Mills, Mr. Sickbert, Paul Carlton, Doug Edson, Charlie Zerbe, Doug Rains, Roger Baker, Gerri Slagle, Craig Thompson, Genie Heppner, Tom Cleek, Doris Holcomb, Janice York, Sue Johnson.

STAGE BAND—FRONT ROW: Steve Powell, Doris Holcomb, John Knippers, Mark Dyer, Kathy Jensen, Genie Heppner, Ann Higginson. BACK ROW: Mr. Mills, Barry Johnson, Jerry Zoellner, Jay Rodman, Mike Ramsey, John Boyles, Bob MacIver, W. L. Whaley, Becky Knudsen.



"The Littlest Angel" Returns for Yuletide Performance

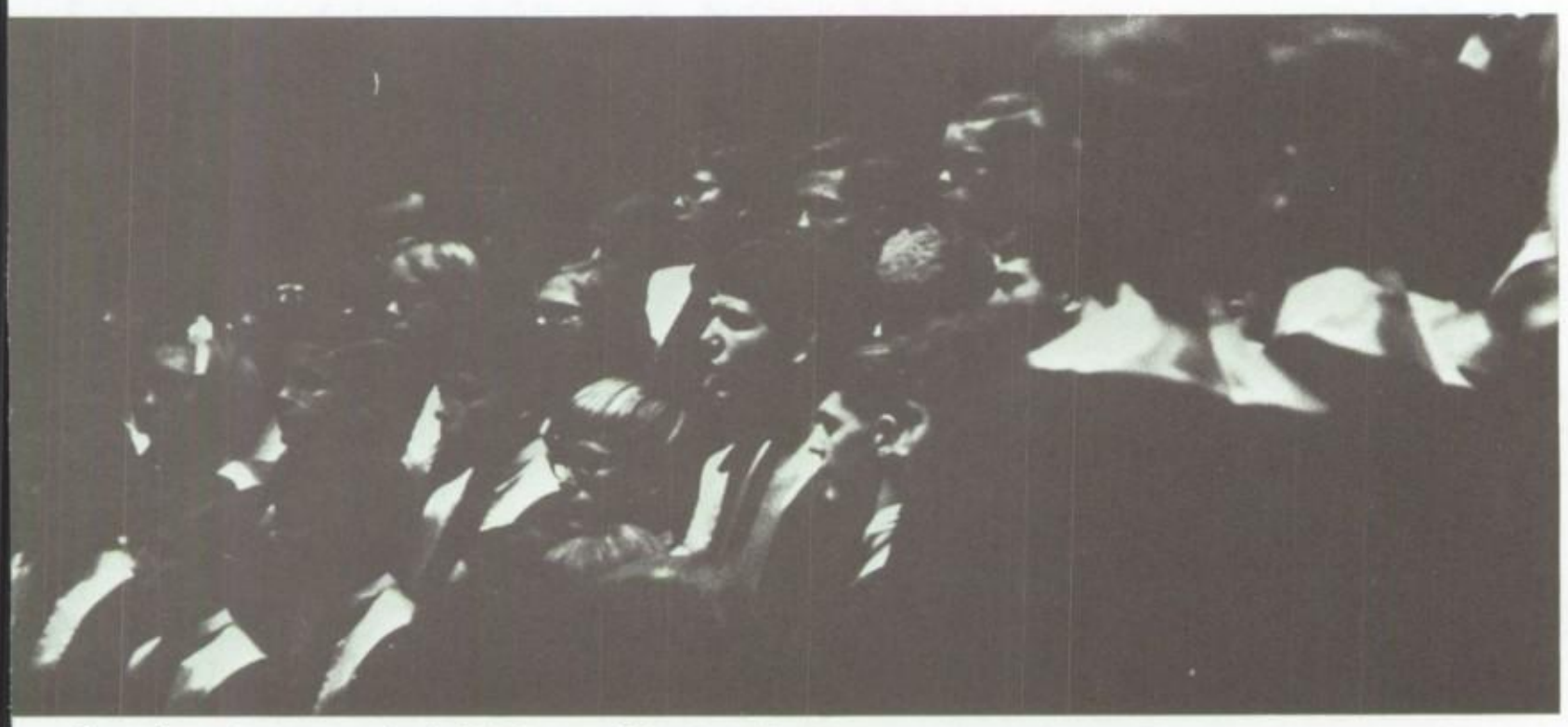
Miss Sandy Strickland narrates for "The Littlest Angel."

WHAT WAS A tradition for many years at Wasson — "The Littlest Angel" — was revived this year for the annual Christmas Program. Under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Paris, the drama was presented at an afternoon assembly for the student body.

'The Littlest Angel,' portrayed by Gaye Lamar, was exactly four years, six months, five days, seven hours, and forty-two minutes old. Despite his age, it was the littlest angel's earthly box — filled with a butterfly, a bird's egg, and a dog's collar — that was chosen to become the star of Bethlehem at Christ's birth.

After the performance, the choirs, under the direction of Mr. Meeker and Mr. Bearzi, sang several selections. The drama students presented both a verse-speaking choir and a religious pageant.

Celestial silence surrounds these three Thunderbird "angels."



Dramatic contrasts are emphasized by the stage lights during the Choristers' presentation of a Christmas melody

"Once upon a time . . . there was a most miserable, thoroughly unhappy, and utterly dejected cherub."

Cast of Pinocchio Performs For Elementary Schools

"WAIT FOR ME! I am coming with you to the 'Land of Hooky'!" This idealistic land of ease welcomed not only the wooden puppet of the play **Pinocchio,** but also Wasson students, parents, and teachers. These participants were not new to the land and life of candy-cane buildings, sugar streets, ice-cream cones, and balloons. However, their memories were renewed when the drama classes presented an evening performance of **Pinocchio** in March. The production, which was directed by Mr. Paris, was also given to elementary school audience during December and January.

The "Land of Hooky" is just one of the places in which Pinocchio has fantastic adventures, for he, like most little boys, has a knack for getting into trouble. However, Pinocchio is just a boy "puppet," not a "real" boy; and this desire to be real becomes his one great dream — a dream which is finally realized with the help of the blue fairy.

A tearful Pinocchio pleads with Geppetto for forgiveness.

The Blue Fairy bravely protects Pinocchio, Harlequin, and the donkey from the wrath of the Fire-Eater and the Sandwich Man.

Wasson's 1968 Variety Show Visits Air Academy High

A pulsating rhythm is created by Shirley Smith and Nick Rossi.

WASSON'S 1968 Variety Show was presented this spring at Air Academy High School as part of an inter-school talent show exchange program. The performance was also given in the Wasson Auditorium on March 15 and 16. The proceeds from these two performances were donated to the Auditorium Fund, which is used for the general maintenance of Wasson's Auditorium.

Participants in the show were evaluated and selected on the basis of originality, quality of the performance, estimated audience reaction and showmanship. Singing, dancing and comedy routines were included in the show.

"Whither wander thou?" asks Dave Melanson in this scene.

Jim McClellan and David Emerick form a duet.

All-State Orchestra Choses Two from Wasson Orchestra

SELECTING THE BEST high-school orchestra members from throughout the state, the All-State Orchestra contained two Wasson representatives this year — JoAnn Jaloszysky and Ellen Edwards. Several other members of the T-Bird Orchestra were also privileged by being chosen for the All-City Orchestra. The orchestra played for two assemblies second semester. The first, the winter program, was given in February under the direction of Mr. Ron Mills. This concert of classical music was followed by a popular music concert given in April. Wasson's Orchestra also played for the North-Side Rotary Club and the P.T.A. The group prepared for the concerts by practicing during their sixth period class and at their seven o'clock morning rehearsal.

"Do you know 'Just Before the Battle, Mother'?" These orchestra members respond to the photographer's request.

ORCHESTRA — FRONT ROW: Rae Cunningham, Candy Manchester, Lidia Kopyto, Chris Kleager, Ellen Edwards, Melodie Gibson. ROW TWO: Duann Gladem, Ted Langoski, Randy McCoy, Leona Karpa, Jan Erwin, Bill O'Rourke, JoAnn Jaloszysky. BACK ROW: Mike Paglia, Tom Hays, Cindy McFarland, Mr. Ron Mills, director.

GIRLS' CONCERT CHOIR — FRONT ROW: Susan Allwood, Debbie Plowman, Terry Cisneros, Cindy Martinez, Nita Ivey, Carol Marander, Rae Nielsen, Joyce Gale, June Payne, Beth Griffin, Kim Christian, Donna Julian. ROW TWO: Nanette Meyer, Sue Broome, Susan Boyd, Debbie Kirkland. Cindy Gardner, Kristin McDowell, Linda Conwill, Thelma Northup, Candy Manchester, Barb Harrison, Jayne DeLashmutt, Debbie Traylor, Jerri Johnson. ROW THREE: Pat Swankoski, Nancy Coulson, Chrissy Johnson, Nora Hartman, Evelyn Leuthard, Annette Fetler, Marilyn Fife, Kay Mason, Cathy Hill, Mary Kupfer, Deanna Maxson, Debbie O'Guin, Linda Hatcher, Teresa Pearson, Terri Smith, Renee Boyd, Pat Niles, Mr. John Bearzi, director. ROW FOUR: Linda Braun, Barb Dewitt, Virginia Dewitt, Janey Vande Voorde, Linda Redinger, Mary Karper, Linda Frakes, Ginger Lee, Sue Weston, Sharon Roadifer, Barbara Krueger, Carol Graves, Kathy Travis, Jodie Schroll, Corrine Griffin. MISSING FROM PICTURE: Eileen Becker, Donna Hull, Mary Jett, Georgia Lucht, Linda Lucht, Debby Smart, Kathy Swayne, Casandra Vanaman.

Girls' Concert Choir Performs For Local Church Programs

FEATURED THROUGHOUT the city and state, Wasson's Girls' Concert Choir entertained for many church and civic club meetings. In December the group appeared on a Christmas television broadcast; later the choir completed at the State Regional Music Festival. These guest appearances were arranged by Mr. Bearzi, the director of the group.

The Girls' Concert Choir was also given the chance to sing for the Wasson student body at the Thanksgiving and Christmas assemblies and at the Musical Revue. Their last major performances were given during the spring tour in May.

In addition to expanding to a sixty-five voice choir, the Girls' Concert Choir also chose to wear short black formals. Their elected officers for this year were Virginia Dewitt, president; Jane Delashmutt, vice-president; and Terry Cisneros, secretary-treasurer.

A stained glass window at St. Paul's Methodist Church forms a background for a Yuletide concert.

Spring Tour Closes Choristers' and Watones' Busy Year

CHORISTERS, DIRECTED by Mr. Meeker, started practicing early in the year for Wasson's first musical revue. Combining the qualities of a talent show and a concert, the revue placed special emphasis on humor and originality and provided an opportunity for the involvement of many talented Wasson students. Besides this two hour revue presented in March, the Choristers performed for Thanksgiving and Christmas assemblies, special television appearances, and other programs. The Choristers' ultimate goal was their May choir tour to an undisclosed location.

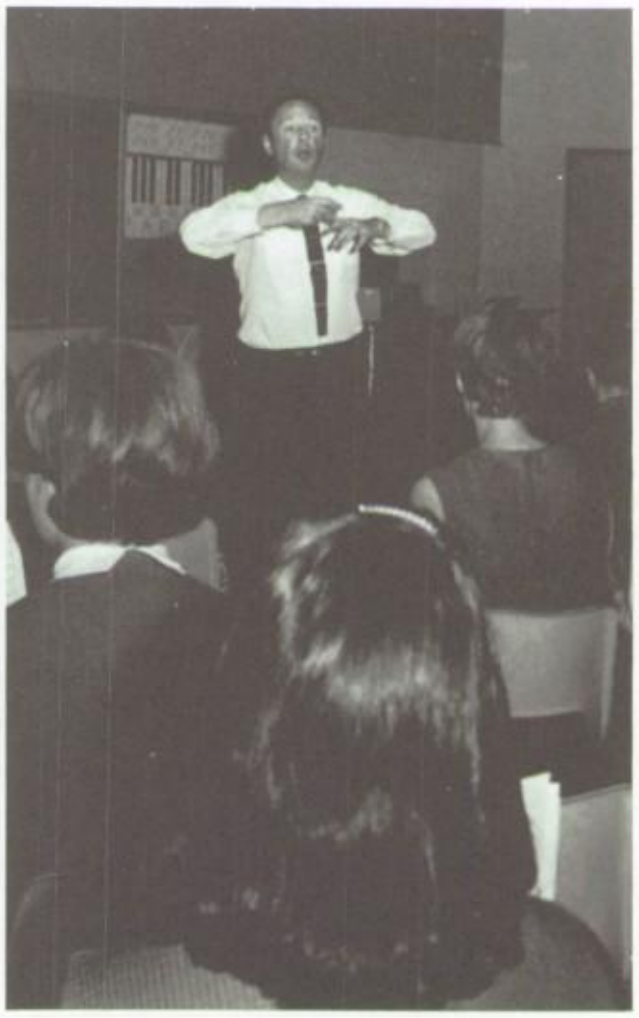
The Chorister officers for the 1967-68 year were Soozi Palmer and Curtis Snook, co-presidents; Vicki Norris and Mark Downing, co-secretaries; and Lisa Girard, treasurer.

By wearing long brocade dresses, the Watone girls added a new note of formality to Wasson's madrigal group. Being able to provide entertainment for many audiences, including a group of wounded veterans from Vietnam, rewarded the Watones for their 7:00 a.m. practices.

FRONT ROW: Cindy Noxon, Jill Napoletan, Tim Pearson, Marvin George, Danny Clay, Mike McCullough, Phil Layton, Roger Barner, Nancy McCullough, Glynda Ratliff, Rosie Miller, Lea Arnold, Cindy Riead. ROW TWO: Barb Stone, Karen Martin, Debbie Davidson, Billie Baker, Jack Holm, Jay Zoellner, Randall Barnes, Curtis Snook, Dan Wright, Gail Griffith, Shirley Smith, Kathy Jones, Marilyn Powers, Sheila McClow, Kathy Chariton. ROW THREE: Lisa Girard, Linda Worthey, Mary McFee Michelle Rasher, Sheryl Tyler, Stan Rogers, Don Hathaway, Nick Rossi, John VanDerWege, Mark Downing, Jan Engle, Cheryl Groeneveld, Jan Keplinger, Jackie Haines, Rhonda Carroll. ROW FOUR: Jill Quinn, Kris Terry, Carol Campbell, Kathi Lynch, Sue Wright, Michael Verdieck, Alan Dennis, Floyd Leonard, Charlie Williams, Phil Berry, Chris Mitchell, Becky Doerffel, Susan Londagin. ROW FIVE: Melody Haynie, Donna Conger, Karen Riggs, Judy Myers, Ginny Phillips, Jene Langseth, Karen Reuter, Layne Lindsey, Mark Volkman, Michael Wilder, Jim Meyer, Robert Dickerson, Carl Cramer, Mark Smith, Ernie McHugh, Chris Kellogg, Kathy Long.

FRONT ROW: Roger Barner, Rhonda Carroll, Cindy Noxon, Karen Reuter, Jan Keplinger, I.C.C. ROW TWO: Marvin George, Lisa Girard. ROW THREE: Chris Mitchell, Vicki Norris. ROW FOUR: Curt Snook, Sue Wright. ROW FIVE: Nick Rossi, president; Gail Griffith. ROW SIX: John VanDerWege, Shirley Smith, secretary. ROW SEVEN: Mark Downing, Soozi Palmer. ROW EIGHT: Jim Meyer. BACK ROW: Robert Dickerson.

Mr. Meeker reemphasizes the importance of enunciation and expression as he directs the Choristers.



The Choristers prepare music for the traditional Thanksgiving Assembly.

Janet Beardsley helps Gene Shinn try on his costume for the play.

While other students observe, Gene Shinn, Lisa Girard, Janet Beardsley,

After the play these drama students put the props away in the prop room.

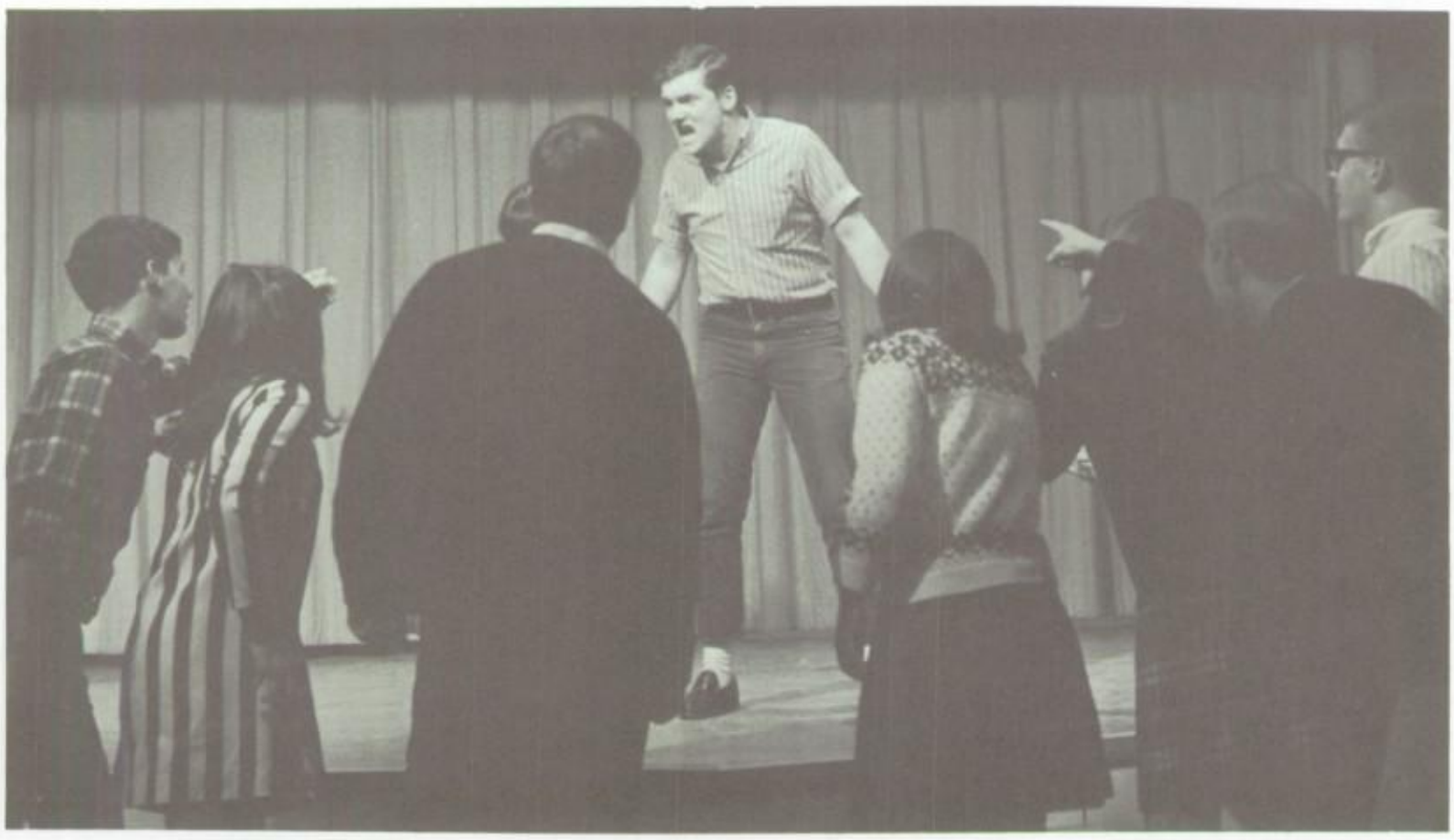
Dave Melanson, and Kathy Doane try out for parts in the play.

Wasson Students Present "Thunder on Sycamore Street"

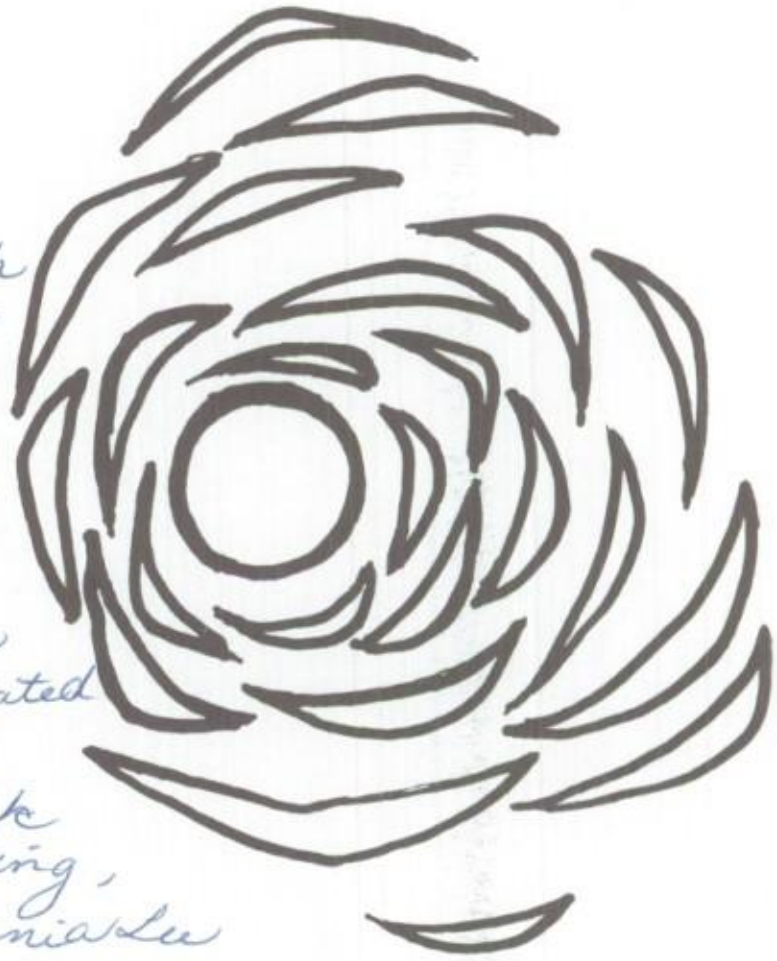
THUNDER ERUPTS on Sycamore Street when its peaceful citizens decide to force their neighbor, Joseph Blake, to leave town. He had served a brief prison term long ago as the result of an accident, but citizens continue to treat him as if he were a criminal. Hatred also extends to his daughter, a model student, when parents force their children to ostracize her from school life. Arthur Hayes is the only neighbor who does not want to force Blake out, but Hayes is finally convinced to conform, and a mob moves on Blake's house. However, Blake stands up to them. His courage inspires Hayes, and together they make the others realize their mistake. In the climax to "Thunder on Sycamore Street" by Reginald Rose, justice prevails.

Mr. Paris, director for the production, chose the cast of eight boys and ten girls from the drama club members and the other interested students who tried out in February.

John Knippers glowers fiercely at the menacing crowd as they threaten him in this dramatic scene from "Thunder on Sycamore Street."



Ben,
Well, now that Math Analysis has come to an end, it looks like I won't be seeing you very much again. I've enjoyed having math with you for the past two years - I don't think I'll ever have another teacher quite like you. Barbel! Honestly, Benson, you and your matrices - can't you ever forget about math? Thanks an awful lot for helping me with my homework - I really appreciated it. I hate signing yearbooks - I always sound so trite. Good luck next year at CC - Best of everything,
Eugenia Lu



Features

And in the big top, ladies and gents, we are proud to present to you the delightful features of a year of frolicsome frivolity, beauteous beauty, and just generally a real fine time! Who but the crudest scoundrel among you can fail to be favorably impressed by such a glorious array of particular people placing their finest faces forward within this inexhaustibly ingenious institute! Some of the finest of our femme fatales, the queen royals of the year's most imposing celebrations of dance . . . the assemblies upon the stage, offering from its lacquered surface an infinite variety of everything under the sun . . . personnages honored and brought before you with fondest hopes! Step right up, folks! This is your finest hour, a compilation of bits of all that you keep most memorable about yourself! Featuring features finer than those found anywhere! feature - n. 1. Anything given special prominence. Thank you, Mr. Webster. Need we say more?

Judy Mullins . . .
Attendant

Sandy Strickland . . .
Queen

Homecoming Dance Offers Romantic Motif, "Distant Dreams"

Attendant . . .
Paula Tomhave

Attendant . . .
Marie Wright

Dede Connell . . . Attendant

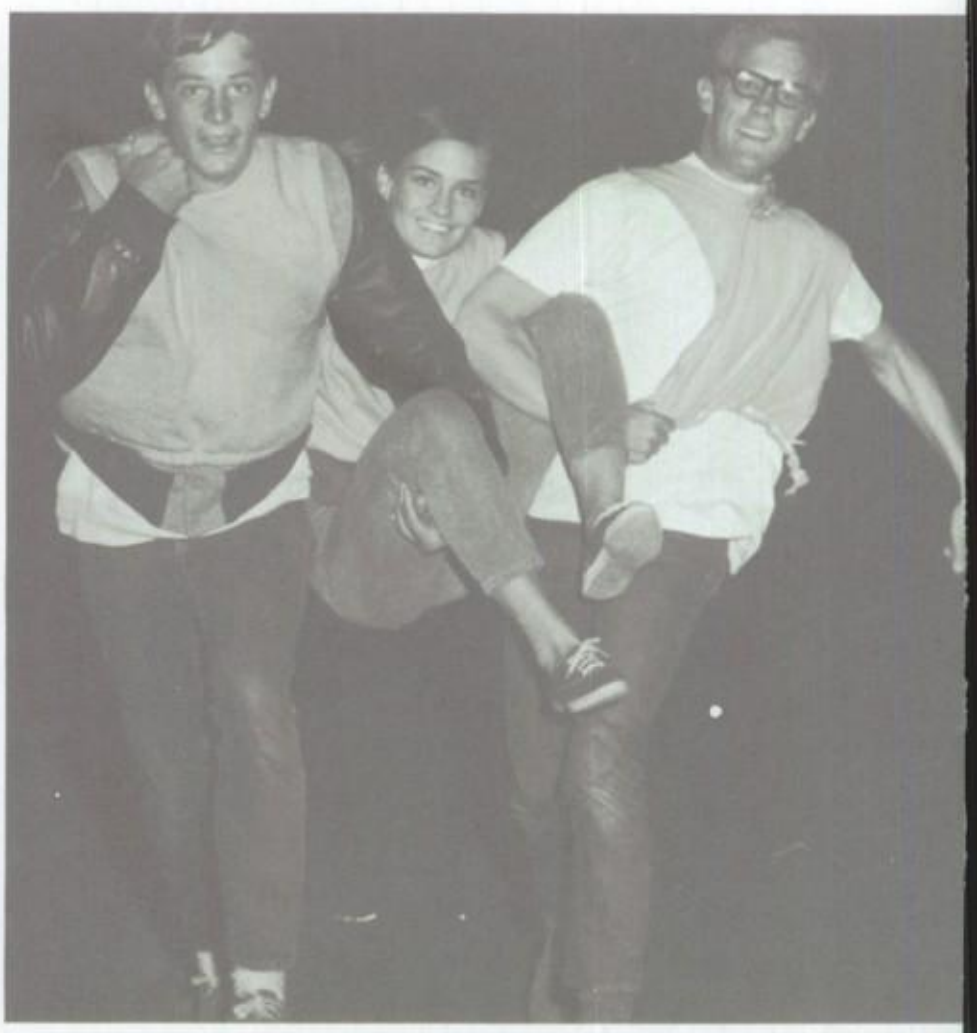
THE EXCITEMENT OF Homecoming activities started with the nomination of five queen candidates by the football team. The student body elected Sandy Strickland as their 1967 Homecoming queen.

The dance, "Distant Dreams," held Saturday night, November fourth, gave special meaning to Wasson students and grads. It gave alumni and the student body a chance to mix and to dance to the sounds of the Northside Moss. The decorations consisted of blue, green, and brown twisting crepe paper that stretched from the ceiling to the floor, two parachutes, and a mirror-covered ball.

At the intermission of the dance, Sandy Strickland was crowned queen by her escort, Gary LaCerte. Dede Connell, Judy Mullins, Paula Tomhave, and Marie Wright, attendants, were escorted by, Dave Murphy, Kent Anderson, Rick Mueller, and Steve Steiner, respectively. The queen and attendants were presented gold necklaces.

While dancing, Queen Sandy seems to be lost in "Distant Dreams."

"It's a Small World" offered many diversified attractions, including Cabinet's raceways complete with a strobe light.



These juniors encountered quite a few difficulties in the chariot race.

Is togetherness a virtue? Apparently not in the case of these struggling juniors who were downed by the seniors in the nine-legged race.

"Travelers' Tales" Lures Thunderbirds to Faraway Lands

Taking revenge on their teachers, students flocked to F.T.A.'s booth.

Another letterman takes an icy plunge into C-Club's dunking trough.

LONDON, PARIS, and Rome were only a few of the destinations vicariously reached by Wasson students and alumni at the 1967 Homecoming pageant, "Travelers' Tales." Assuming a unique theme of travel, the evening's activities commenced with the time-honored class competition. The seniors, who proved to be tough competition for the juniors and sophomores, swept a field of six events, featuring Volkswagen stuffing, a "person pass," and a nine-legged race. To add to the occasion, Mr. H. G. Christiansen was presented the Outstanding Educator Award. The pageant ended with Sandy Strickland being crowned queen.

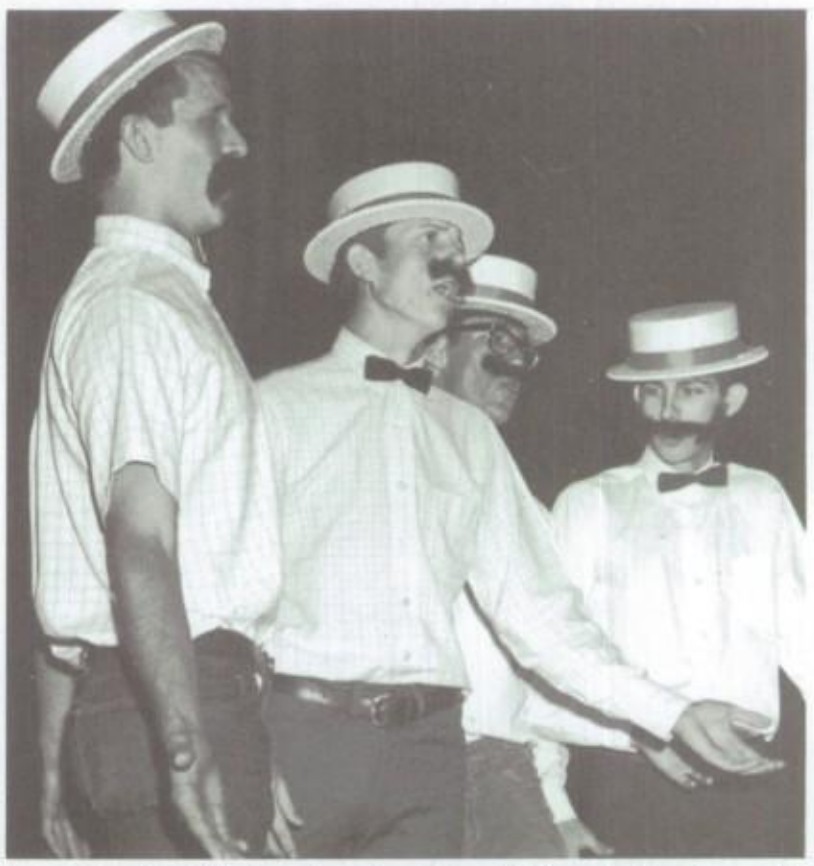
In keeping with the travel theme, the carnival showed that "It's a Small World." An assortment of twenty-one booths was highlighted by C-Club's dunking trough, Cabinet's raceways, and F.S.A.'s prize-winning pinball machines.

As a fitting climax to 1967 Homecoming week, the Thunderbirds' victory over Pueblo Central was celebrated at the dance, "Distant Dreams."

Wasson's newly crowned queen begins her ride around the stadium.

'67-'68 School Life Embodies

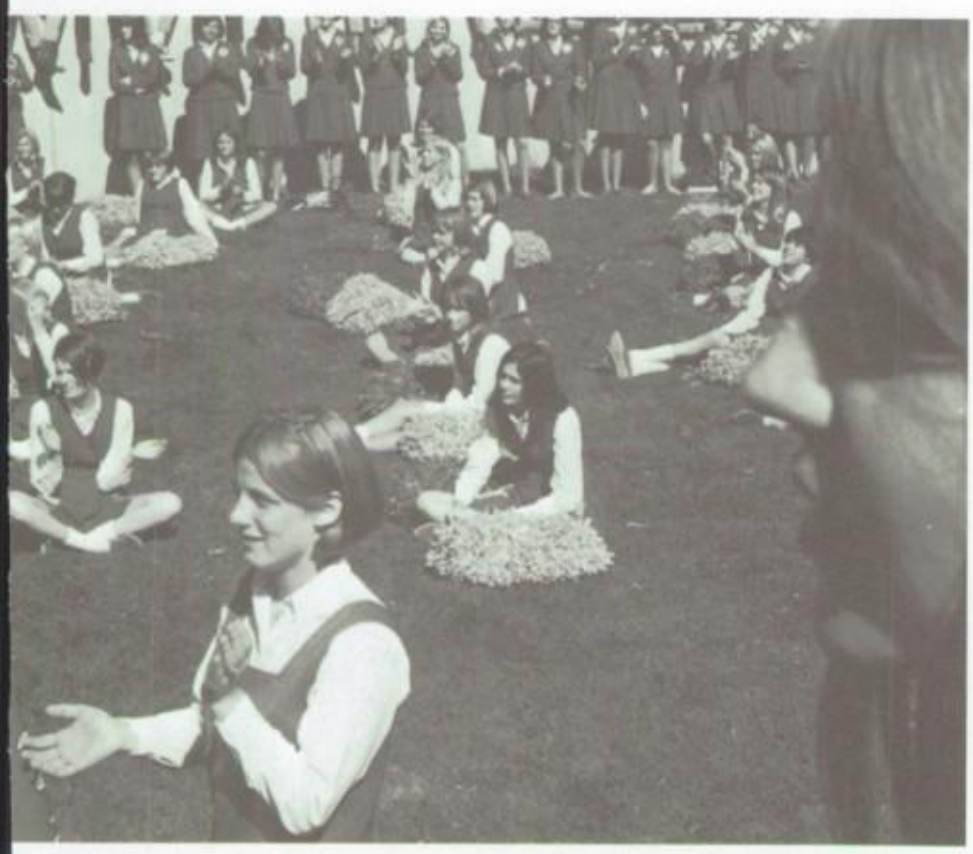
Helping to make Homecoming a success, Cathy Thomas and Tom Atkinson complete the ceiling decorations for "Distant Dreams."



A favorite of the "Palmer Amateur Hour," this quartet raises spirit.

"Stick 'em up!" Cindy Noxon shows her authority during Gleep Week.

Changing Styles, Activities and Ideas



Loyal Thunderbirds gather on the patio for a rousing pre-game pep assembly.

SEPTEMBER, 1967: a time of anxiety for sophomores, a symbol of continuation for juniors, and the beginning of the end for seniors. So began Wasson school life, '67-'68 . . . Gleeps were drafted into the class of '70 at "Camp Confusion" . . . falls and still shorter skirts prevailed as standard garb for girls . . . pseudo-hippies infiltrated Wasson's ranks . . . the traditional quest for learning continued as seniors anticipated college boards and the inevitable college application . . . assemblies, whether concerned with Viet Nam or Friday's football game, gave students a respite from academic pressures . . . a new system of student government created a more unified student body . . . senior Sharon Jubb became a semi-finalist in the Miss Teenage America Contest . . . victory sock hops celebrated sports accomplishments.

June, 1968: a time of relief for sophomores and juniors as the pressures of final exams were past. For seniors it was a time of accomplishment as graduation became a reality. For all classes it was a chance to reflect upon what made this year something special, school life, '67-'68.

As another day ends, silhouettes and figures of departing students create a dramatic collage.

Chuck Nevius prepares to discuss the peculiarities of Wildcats before the Pueblo Central game.

Sno-ball Dance, "Fantasy in Frost," Depicts White Christmas

CHRISTMAS WAS THE season and queens were the reason for the excitement of the Wasson students as five queen candidates stepped from a giant crepe paper snow ball. Lisa Girard, Janette Pairo, Soozi Palmer, Tricia Wendt, and Jan Wilson were selected by the Social Committee and presented to the student body at the annual Christmas sing, December 21.

The Sno-ball Dance was held December 23 in the cafeteria. The decorations consisted of evergreen boughs hung from the ceiling, winter scene murals, and an elevated bandstand and throne. The music was provided by the Paul Blake Quartet. During intermission, Janette Pairo was crowned queen by her escort Daryl Prigmore. Janette's attendants, Lisa Girard, Soozi Palmer, Tricia Wendt, and Jan Wilson, were escorted by John Knippers, Toby Kircher, Vic Buffetti, and Tom Waymire, respectively.

The Queen and her attendants were presented silver engraved necklaces to commemorate the occasion.

A crowning Christmas kiss is given to Janette by her escort, Daryl.

Attendant . . .
Lisa Girard

Attendant . . .
Jan Wilson

Attendant . . .Soozi Palmer

Attendant . . .
Tricia Wendt

Queen . . .
Janette Pairo

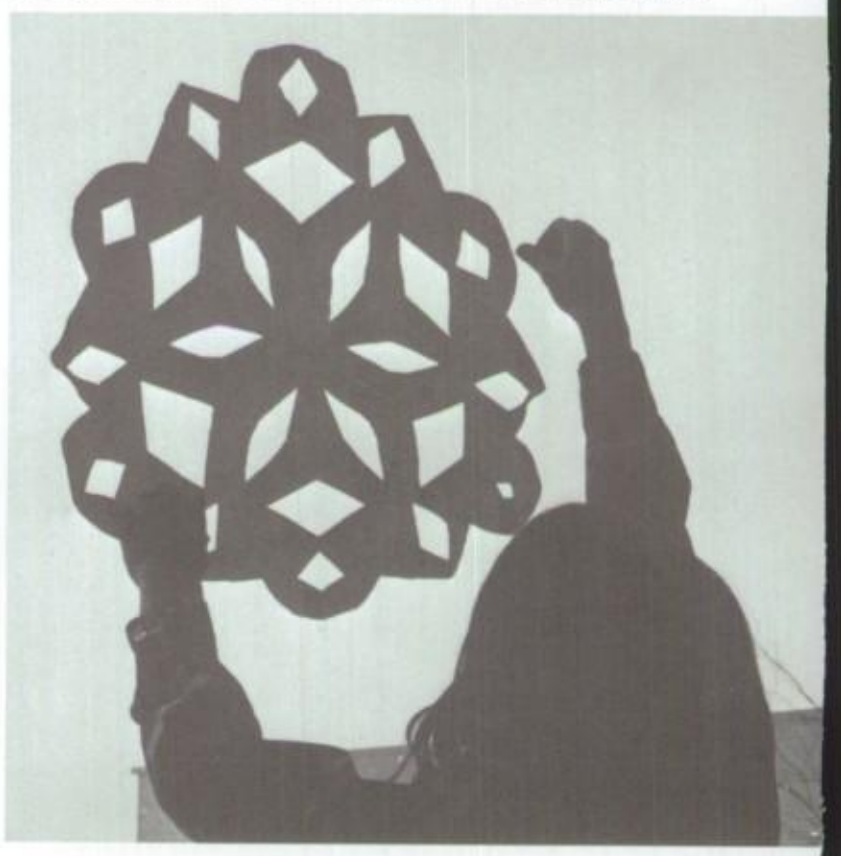
Christmas Trees, Assemblies, Dances, Decorated

'TWAS THE WEEK before Christmas and all through the halls was the evidence of creative Wasson sophomores, juniors, and seniors as they decorated for the Yuletide season. The students hung tinsel, packages, and boughs with care in hopes that their hall would win the traditional Christmas decoration competition. The creativity of the seniors on their hall, "Christmas Is a Time For Giving," won for them first prize. The junior hall, "Fantasy in Frost", won special recognition by the judges. The efforts of the sophomores in their hall, "The Nutcracker Suite," were also appreciated. The cheery halls put Wasson students in the Christmas spirit.

Preventing the tumbling of a tumble weed in the junior hall, Jeff McVay lends his sturdy shoulders to Jack Lobato.

The senior hall placed first with a "Time for Giving" theme.

Snow flakes inside and outside provided the Yuletide spirit.



DEAR BENNIE- HERE'S POTT, SOMEWHERE ON THIS PAGE- CAN YOU FIND HER? WOW- I SURE HAVE KNOWN YOU THROUGH MANY WIERD TIMES (OH YEAH?) BUT I LIKE YOU ANYWAY. I HOPE YOU HAVE SUPERB LUCK AND HAPPINESS IN THE FUTURE. DON'T FORGET POTTY.

HI POTTY HI BENNY

Halls, Bright Shining Faces: Christmas at Wasson

Santa's little helpers participate in Wasson's annual Christmas sing assembly as they prompt students to sing out.

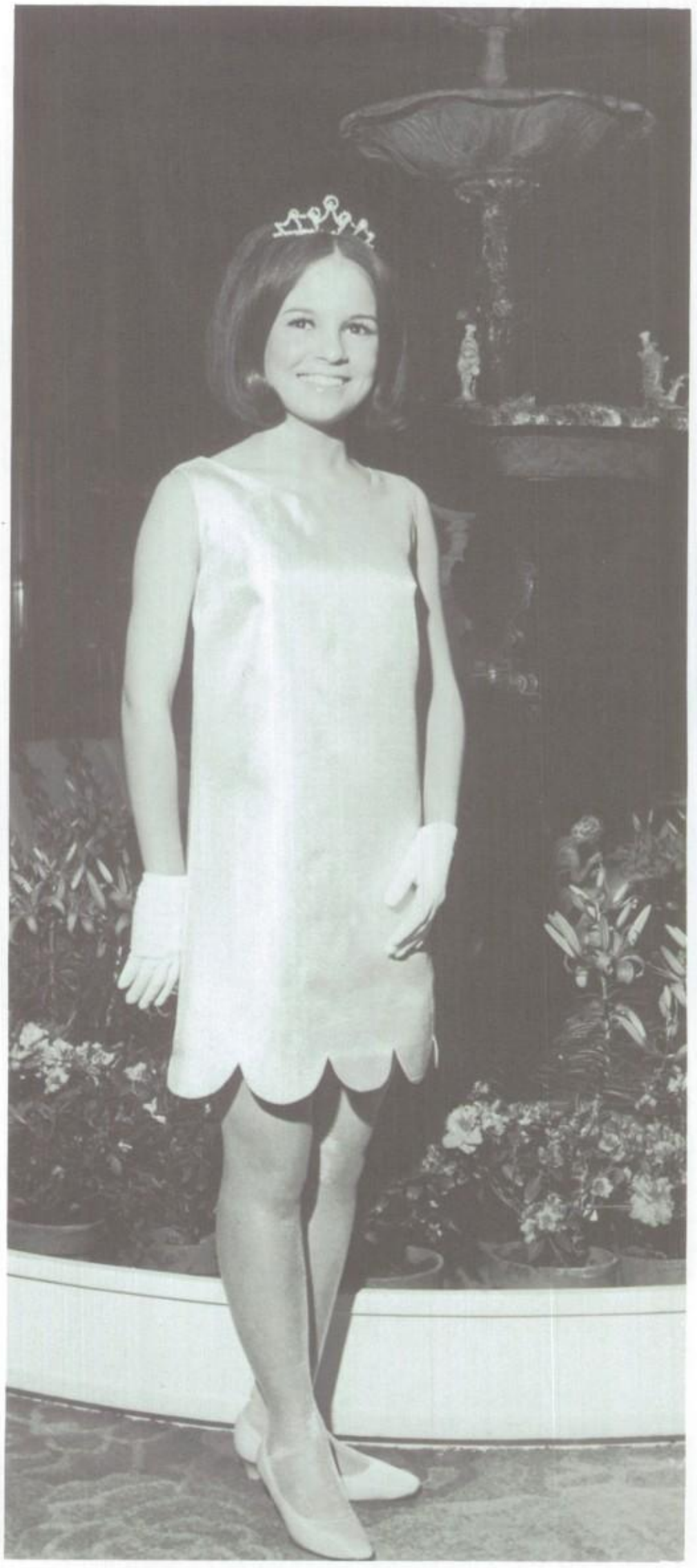
Pat Long

"Fantasy in Frost" offers students a romantic atmosphere.

The Vocal and Drama Departments presented "The Littlest Angel" at Christmas.

Attendant . . .
Sue Wright

Queen . . .
Susan Scariano



Students Find Romance Waiting Under the "Sweetheart Tree"

Attendant . . .
Cindy Noxon

Attendant . . .
Robin Earnest

A RETURN TO the traditional was seen at this year's Sweetheart Dance. Valentine colors of red and white turned the cafeteria into a setting worthy of the theme "The Sweetheart Tree." The mood was set by a tree-banked throne and wall and ceiling decorations of tissue and crepe paper. However, the main attraction proved to be a tremendous artificial tree placed in the center of the floor.

The five girls nominated to reign over this romantic setting were Robin Earnest, Vicki Norris, Cindy Noxon, Susan Scariano, and Sue Wright. They were chosen during a sponsor group meeting as each boy voted for his favorite senior girl. The student body then voted on the queen at a special assembly as the candidates were presented sitting on a swing hung from the boughs of the "Sweetheart Tree." Named as queen, Susan Scariano was crowned at the dance by her escort Steve Caulder. Her attendants, Robin Earnest, Vicki Norris, Cindy Noxon, and Sue Wright, were escorted by Vance Hemphill, Steve Tucker, Dale Isley, and Gary Osburn, respectively.

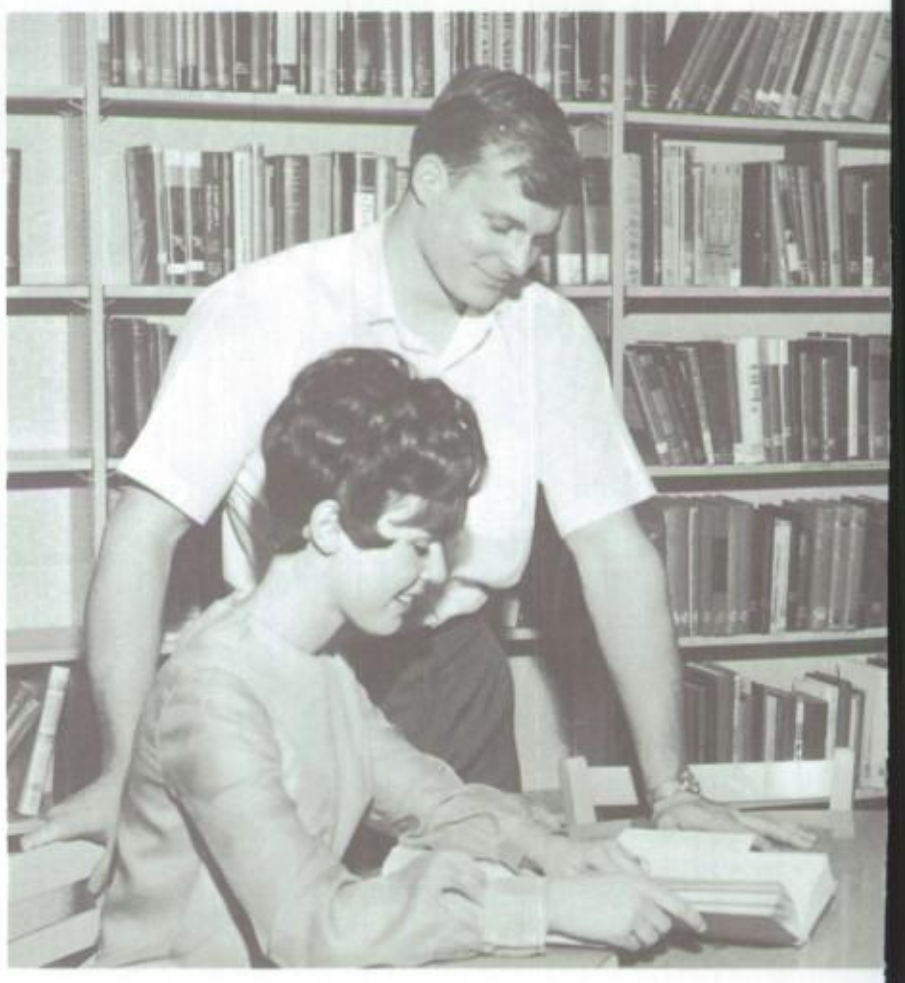
Attendant . . . Vicki Norris

Susan's expressions reflect her surprise at being crowned queen.

Decisions. responsibilities, and planning pose problems for Vice-President Lisa Girard and President John Casey.

Combining their artistic ability and knowledge of the fine arts, Lila Rioth and Toby Kircher create a design on canvas.

An ever-present aid for academic excellence, the library assists Soozi Palmer and Taylor Carey in their studies.



Prominent Students Honored by Selection of Wahian Royalty

ENTHUSIASM, INVOLVEMENT, and contributions in both academic and extracurricular activities were estimated by the faculty as they elected the 1967-68 Wahian Royalty. Submitted to the faculty for final appraisal were the names of twelve students nominated by the Wahian staff: Tom Atkinson, Charlie Bolte, Taylor Carey, John Casey, Lisa Girard, Kathy Graham, Toby Kircher, Cindy Noxon, Soozi Palmer, Mike Reed, Karen Reuter, and Lila Rioth. Those students elected were John Casey, Taylor Carey, Toby Kircher, Soozi Palmer, Lila Rioth, and Lisa Girard.

Soozi Palmer supported Wasson as a member of the Pep Club and Cabinet. As secretary of assemblies, Soozi contributed many long hours for the purpose of organizing both entertaining and informative assemblies. Lila Rioth presented Wasson with her varied abilities through Council, Publicity Committee, yearbook staff, and as president of F.T.A. Supplying her efforts as vice president of the student body and as a member of Pep Club, Lisa Girard proved her worthiness of Wahian Royalty.

John Casey's commendable services as president of the student body and as captain of the gymnastics team, made him an appropriate candidate for Wahian Royalty. As president of C-Club and as an exceptional gymnast, Taylor Carey deserved recognition. Toby Kircher's extra-curricular activities as chairman of Council and as captain of the cross-country team proved to be beneficial to both Toby and to Wasson.

The exceptional efforts of these students provided rewarding contributions to Wasson through skills in academics, various sports, and fine arts.

NOMINEES — FRONT ROW: Lisa Girard, Cindy Noxon. SECOND ROW: Lila Rioth, Kathy Graham, Karen Reuter, Soozi Palmer. THIRD ROW: John Casey, Mike Reed, Toby Kircher, Taylor Carey. BACK ROW: Tom Atkinson, Charlie Bolte.

Cinderella's Fantasy Becomes

CINDERELLA'S BALLROOM came to life at the Junior-Senior Prom through the romantic atmosphere of "The Stroke of Twelve." The juniors were in charge of providing the 1968 graduating class with a memorable prom. They exhibited orginality and ingenious ideas in the planning and decorations. Draped ceilings, pillars, and a regal throne created a lasting effect of fantasy which was highlighted by the presentation of the king and queen and their court.

The seniors nominated many of their classmates, from whom five boys and five girls receiving the most votes were chosen for Prom Court. A king and queen were then elected from the ten. Charlie Bolte, John Casey, Keith Edquist, Chuck Hughes, Chuck Nevius, Cindy Noxon, Soozi Palmer, Debbie Sauerhagen, Tricia Wendt, and Jan Wilson were chosen for Prom Court Royalty. John Casey and Jan Wilson were elected to reign as King and Queen.

Creative ideas result from hours of planning by juniors.

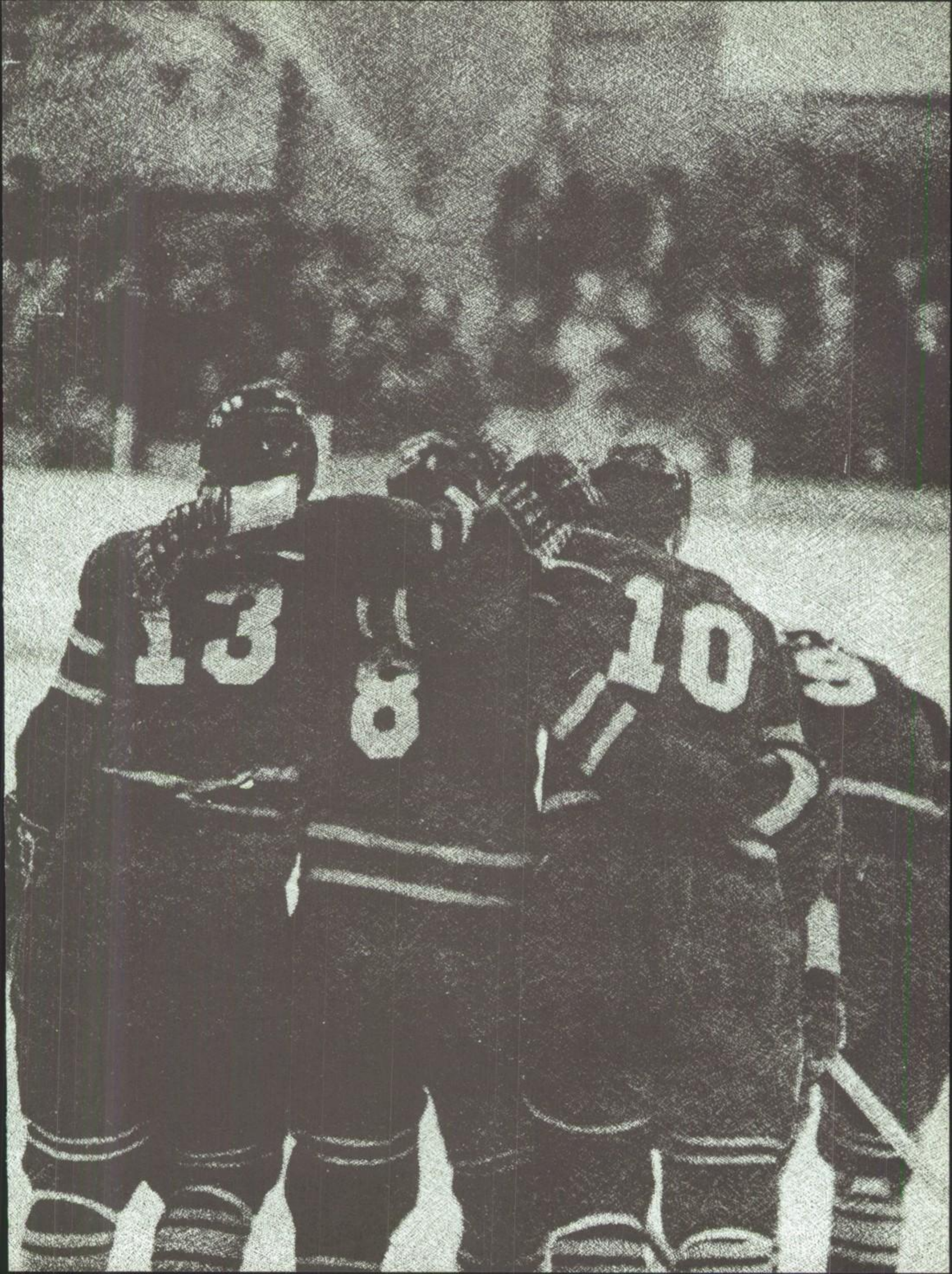
PROM COURT, LEFT TO RIGHT: Chuck Nevius, Tricia Wendt, Cindy Noxon, Jan Wilson, John Casey, Chuck Hughes, Debbie Sauerhagen, Keith Edquist, Soozi Palmer, Charlie Bolte.

Reality at "The Stroke of Twelve"

King . . . *John Casey* *Queen . . .* *Jan Wilson*

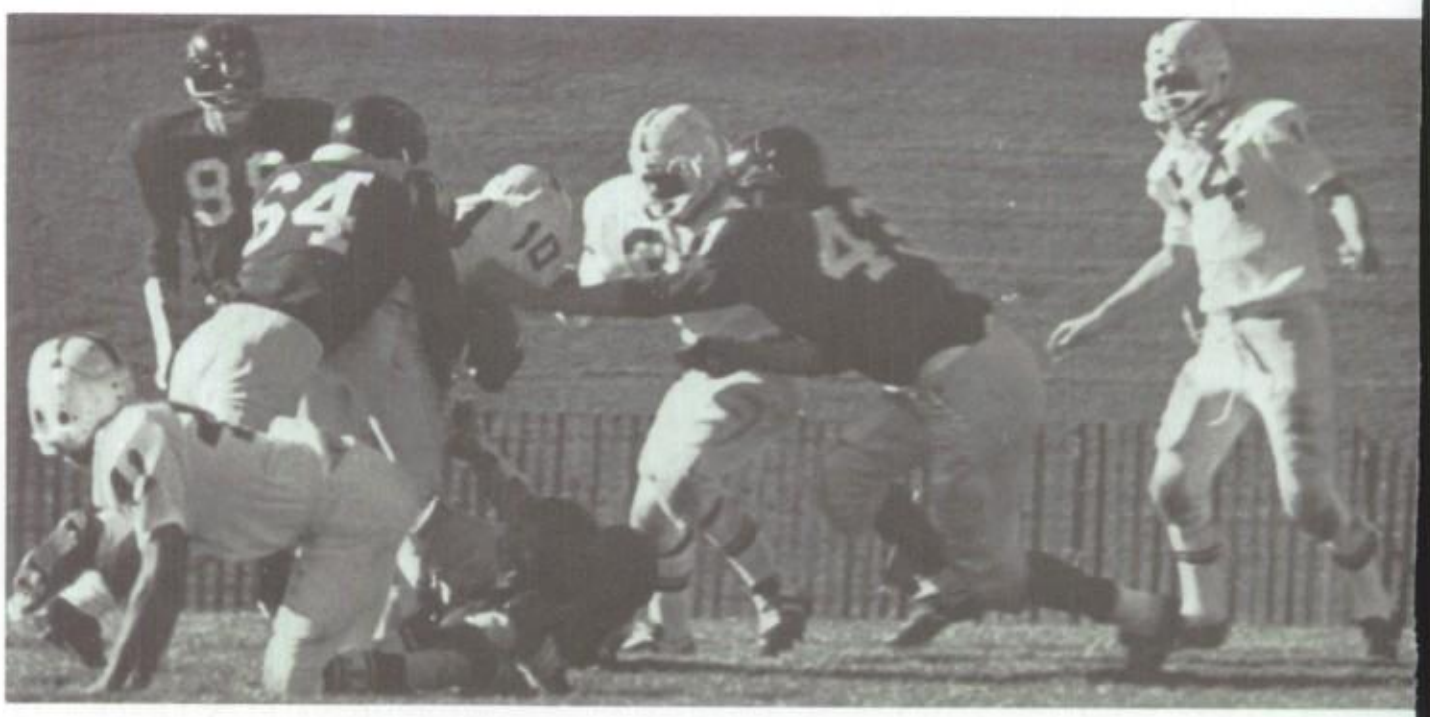
Sports

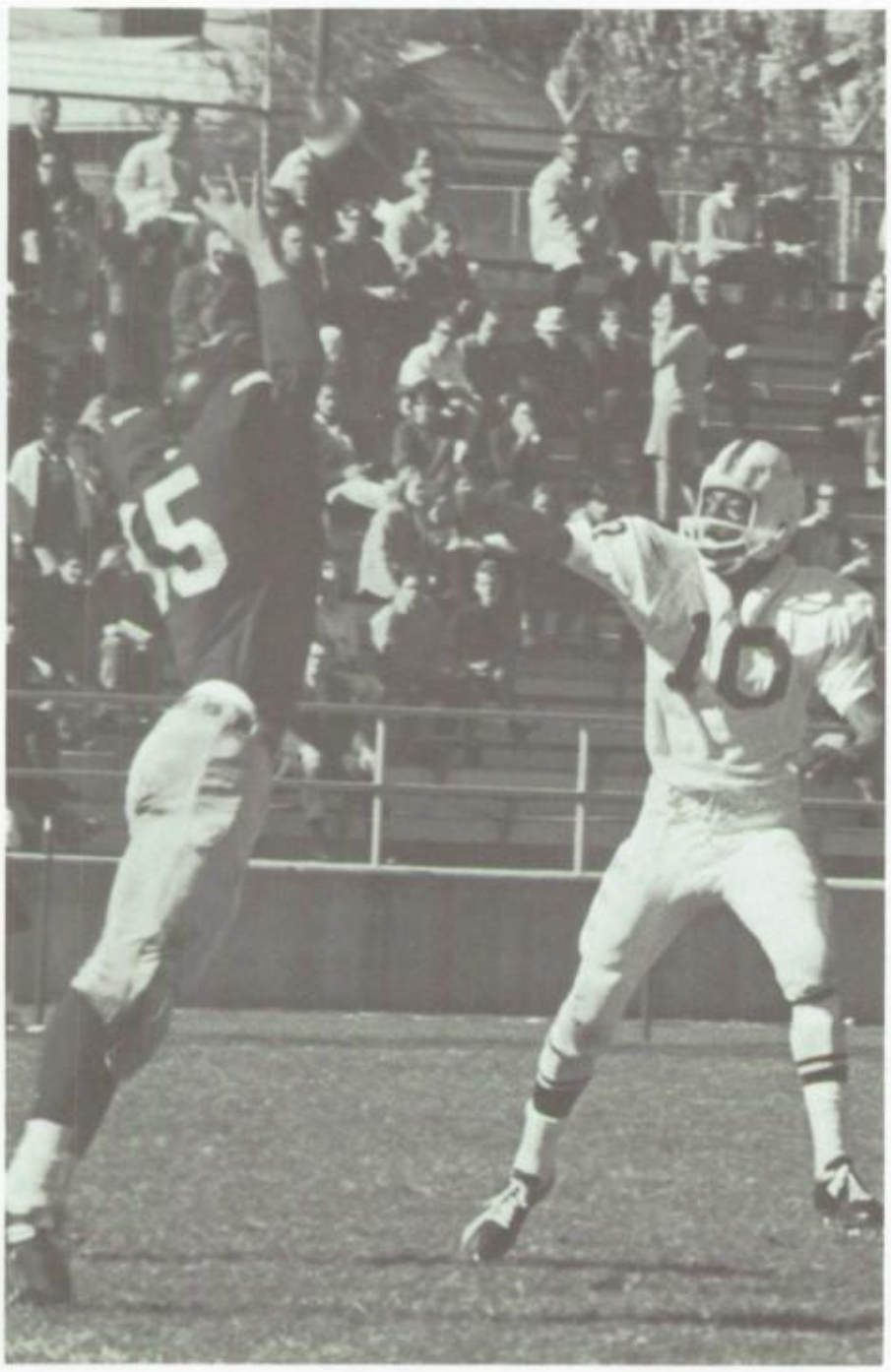
Sports! Sports! Sports! Kick, run, throw, scream, catch, jump, fall, slide, laugh, turn, swim, swing, groan, balance, roll, pin, win, shoot, dribble, leap, skate, lose. Compete! Compete! Compete! Gymnasium, gridiron, rink, court, pool, mat, diamond, course, field. The team spirit is approached, the individual effort is all-important and yet by necessity secondary. Butterflies pervade the stomach as combat approaches. Occasional failings of self-confidence; fear of mistakes and imperfect form. The moment of truth after which everything almost inevitably turns out better than had been imagined. The classic sweetness of victory and unbearable bitterness of defeat. The salty sweat of both the physical and mental functionings. Friendships gained, opponents accumulated, people associated with. The sights and sounds and moods of time immemorial, from the glory of the bronzed bodies of ancient Greece to the straining forms of yesterday afternoon: the clasped hands nestled below the bowed chin, the cries of anguish, the enthusiasm of hope, the satisfaction of simply having been a part. Sports: a magnifier of personalities and bodies, a uniting force, a mirror of the many moods, intentions, capabilities. Sports! Sports! Sports!



Churning around left end, Doug Spears executes Wasson's bread and butter play in the 'Birds' homecoming win over Central.

As Bill Green looks on, Terry Watson and Clay Williams combine their efforts to smother a Palmer Terror.





Defensive linebacker Larry Williams reaches high to block a Terror pass.

T-Birds Take Fifth in Rugged South Central League Race

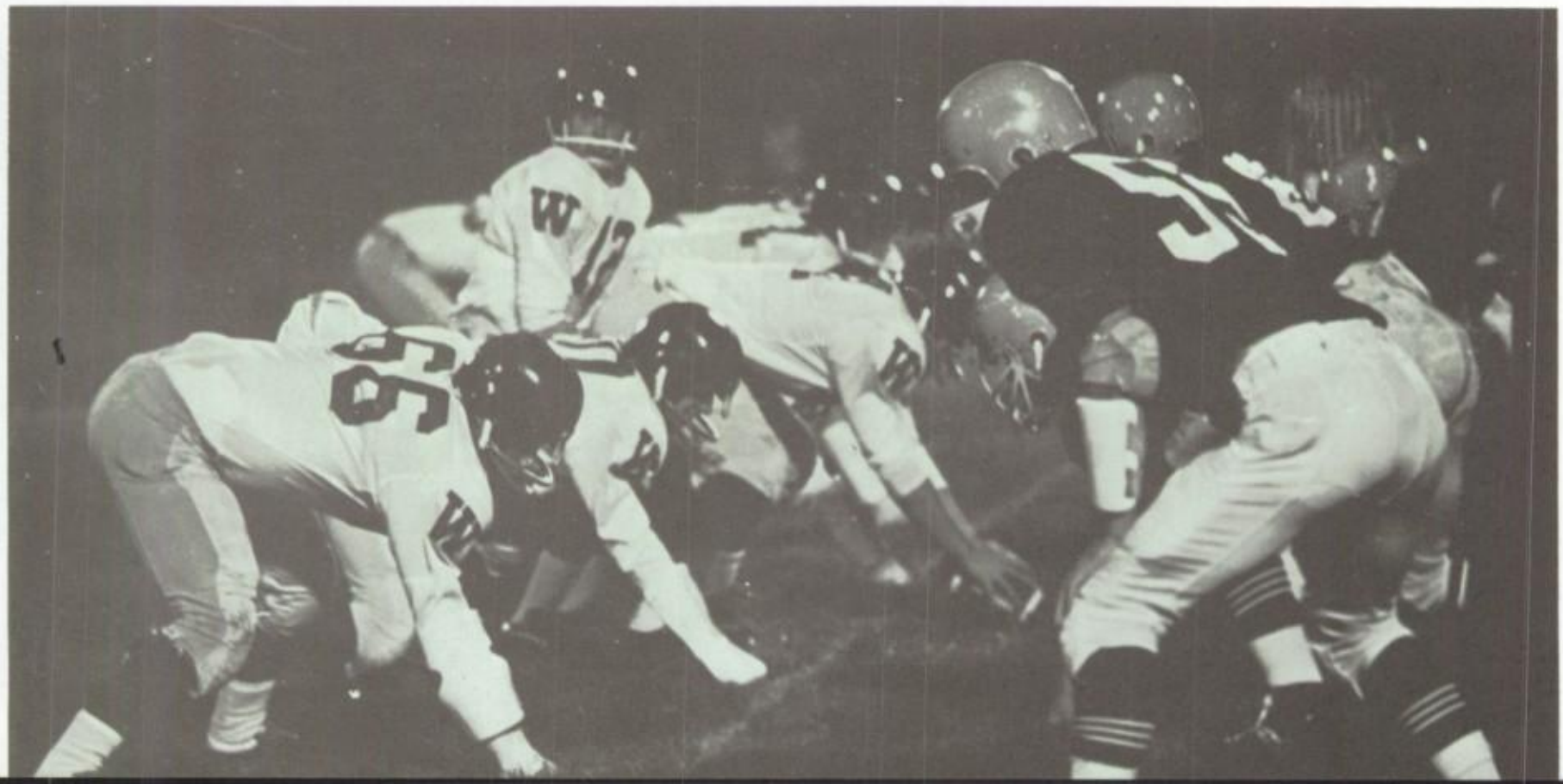
RIDDLED BY INJURIES throughout the season, the 1967 T-Bird gridders emerged with a 6-4 record, barely escaping their first losing season. The Thunderbirds finished fifth place in the torrid South Central League race that saw Pueblo East nip Pueblo Central for the crown in a playoff.

The T-Birds opened the season successfully by shutting out Aurora Central before falling 21-7 to Lakewood, a perennial rival. Wasson then established itself as a state power by giving Wheatridge its first loss in nineteen games, 21-0. This also gave the 'Birds a sweet revenge for last season's loss to the Farmers in the semi-finals of the state playoffs.

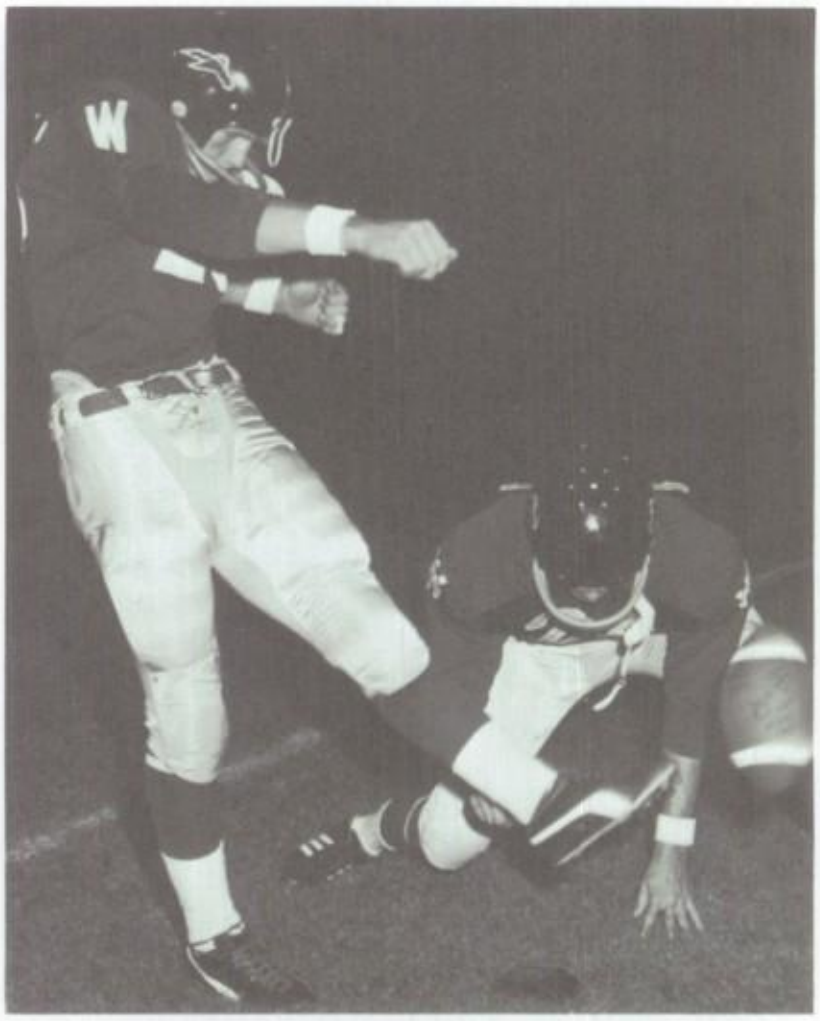
Wasson's success was short, however, as the 'Birds lost their bid for the SCL title by losing to East and Centennial in their first two league games. The Thunderbirds came back to beat both cross-town rivals, Palmer and Mitchell, thus keeping their intra-city record unblemished. Wasson's erratic offense reached a climax at homecoming, crushing third-ranked Pueblo Central, 27-0, to highlight the season.

Allowing only one touchdown per game, the T-Birds' tenacious defense, led by All-SCL end Clay Williams and All-SCL halfback Mike Bennett, shut out four opponents. Offensive guard Gary Hagopian was also named to the all-league squad. The T-Birds also placed six men on the all-city team in Coach Westbay's second year at the helm.

Senior quarterback Dave Murphy sets the line against rival Lakewood.

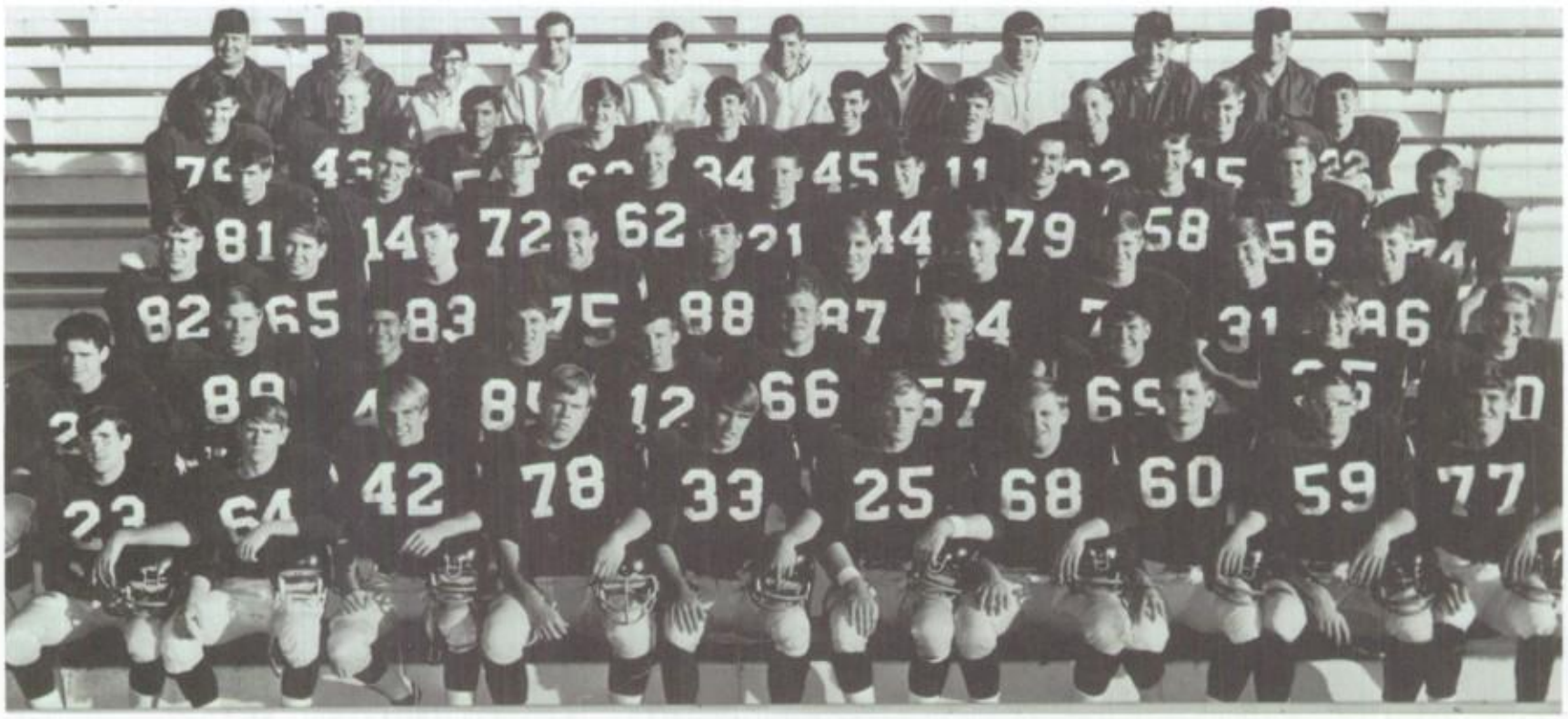


Wasson		Opponent
13	Aurora Central	0
7	Lakewood	21
21	Wheatridge	0
0	Pueblo East	14
7	Pueblo Centennial	14
20	Palmer	0
0	Trinidad	6
14	Pueblo South	7
27	Pueblo Central	0
21	Mitchell	14

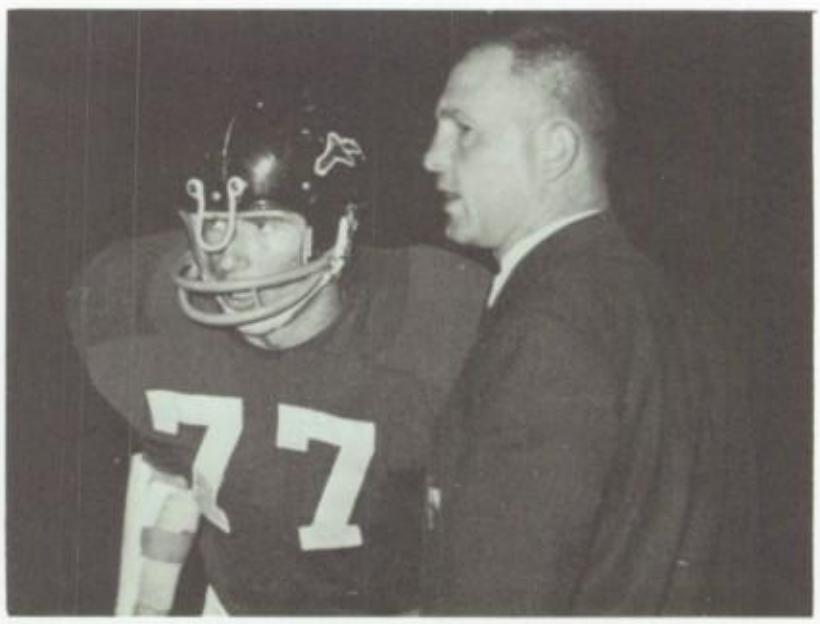


While Phil Freeman holds, Jim Burke boots another extra point.

FRONT ROW; Vic Buffetti, Terry Watson, Bob Blanchard, Stewart Hayduk, John Moon, co-captain; Jim Burke, captain; Bill Smith, Craig Rasmussen, Bob Lockwood, Doug Edson. ROW TWO: Phil Freeman, Bill Green, Tony Duarte, Bob Mueller, Dave Murphy, Gary Hagopian, Gary Hughes, Gary Knopp, Larry Williams, Dave Richards. ROW THREE: Jan Horn, Jim Palmer, Lee Craker, Roger Gandy, Jesse Burris, Mike Bennett, Jim Switzer, Barry Stewart, Mike Jamison, Mark MacFarlane. ROW FOUR: John Murphy, co-captain, Mike Rothe, Erhard Fitzsimmons, Mike Gallogly, Dave Dieter, Tom Colon, Bob Craun, Dennis Parker, Murray Booth, Tom Shipp. ROW FIVE: Mark Clary, Clay Williams, Pete Gomes, Allan Landes, Rick Lohman, Johnny White, Bob Hogg, Larry Skodack, Rocky Whitworth, Doug Spears. BACK ROW: Coach Chris Talbott, Coach Tom Falgien, Phil Layton, manager, Dick Offit, manager, Randy Fadness, manager, Jim Ayres, manager, Don Joiner manager, Mark Volkman, manager; Head Coach Dick Westbay, Coach George Kalber.



Senior fullback John Moon skirts the right end in a 20-0 win over Palmer.



Coach Dick Westbay sends in Doug Edson with a play from the bench.

All-conference end Clay Williams scrambles into a Terror opponent.

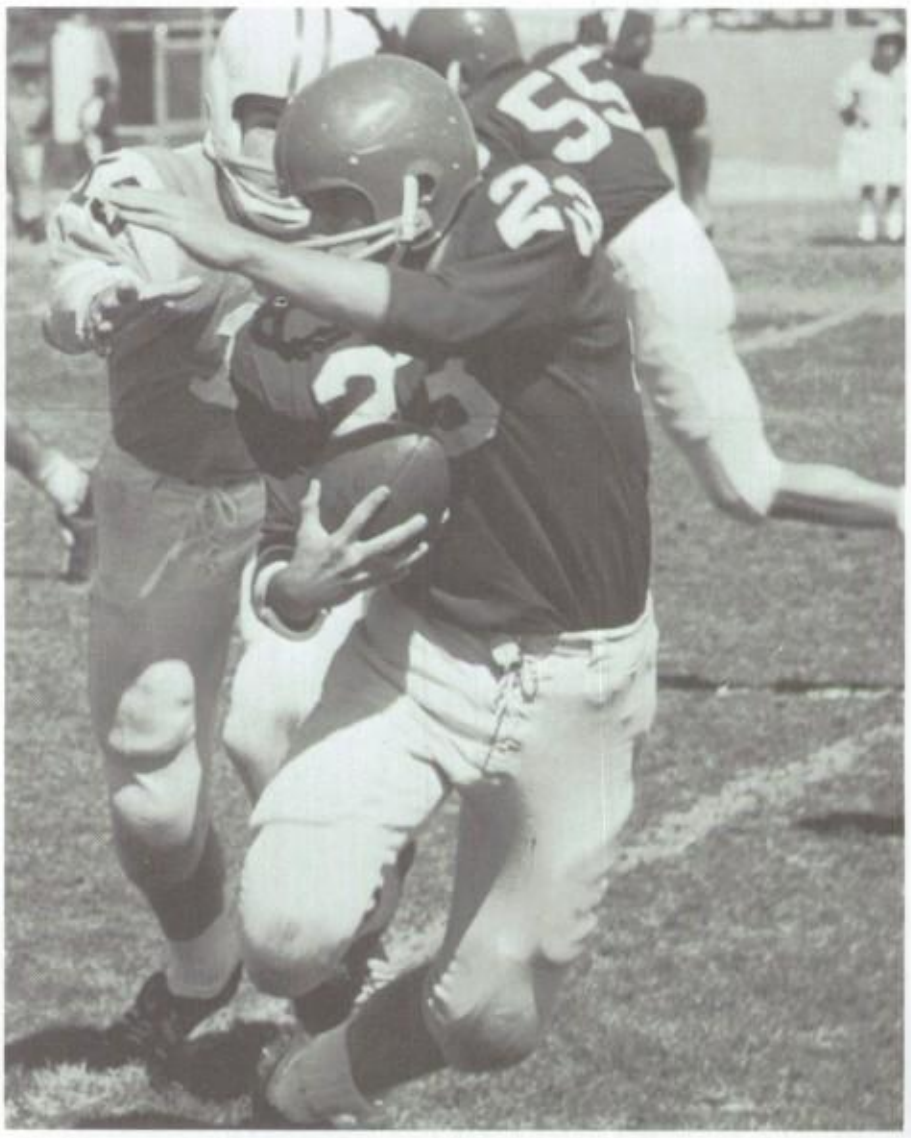
FRONT ROW: Dennis Pope, Marlo Langman, Ken Grimes, Jim Rouse, Geoff King, Steve Hughes, Jim Bonner, Kim Wardell, Bob Knox, Ken Brown. ROW TWO: Jim Reeves, Chris Finlayson, Terry Mason, Rob Wilson, Rod Cline, Brent Junge, Eddie Barnes, Mike Simco, Sam Houston, Rick Harrison. ROW THREE: Dave Lohman, John Bricker, Mike Doherty, Jim Havens, Scott Olson, Jim Osborn, Jeff Zinn, Rick Burgess, Ron Steinkirchner, Al Nitka. ROW FOUR: Steve Hesselberg, Jim James, John Poch, Mike McCullough, Paul Smith, Roger Beach, Fred Schmidt, Larry Glasser, Ray Martinez, Jim Wilson. BACK ROW: Coach Ed Green, Leroy Gortariz, manager, Martin Powell, manager, Mike Filler, Dave Baker, Steve Decker, Hoyt Wills, Michael Bonebrake, Coach Dick Robinson.

Baby Birds Earn Three Victories on Sophomore Gridiron

WASSON'S SOPHOMORE gridders, under the leadership of Coaches Ed Green and Dick Robinson, posted a losing season which, nonetheless, had its high points as the baby birds earned three impressive victories and two ties. Included in these was a 48-0 victory over Widefield, a 20-6 victory over Centennial, and 22-20 victory over St. Mary's.

Coach Green's comments on the team were favorable, for he felt that though they were a small team, they displayed excellent teamwork. They compensated for their size in quickness, agility, and a potent passing attack.

Wasson		Opponent
9	Roncalli	12
6	Trinidad	6
48	Widefield	0
7	East	24
20	Centennial	6
15	Palmer	20
22	St. Mary's	20
7	South	18
6	Central	20
26	Mitchell	26



Geoff King, B-Squad halfback, skirts left end for needed yardage against Widefield as Ken Brown, 55, attempts a block. Wasson won the game 48-0.

An exhausted Toby Kircher rests after running a grueling two miles.

Young Runners Make Bulk Of Thunderbirds' Harriers

LED BY veteran Toby Kircher, the T-Bird harriers placed in the top ten schools in many tough meets. They also did well in the state championships by taking eleventh among twenty-six schools. The cross country team was essentially young and inexperienced; among the top ten runners, two were sophomores, two were juniors, and two were seniors in their first year of competition. Though the majority of the squad was young, Coach Miller's runners fared well throughout the season.

Aurora Invitational	10th (tie)
Arapahoe Invitational	2nd
Pueblo Invitational	3rd
Pikes Peak Invitational	5th
South Central League	4th
State	11th

FRONT ROW: Jim Martin, John King, Doug Pagels, Toby Kircher, Steve Benson, Steve Smith, Randy Rodes. ROW TWO: Terry Proctor, Steve DeFelice, Dan Green, Mike Baker, Mike Glasser, Kerry Pettigrew, Junior White, Joe Miles, Scott Wilson, Dave Young, Bill Westbay. BACK ROW: John Hutte, mgr., Jay Rodman, Chip Merkert, Dave McKelfresh, Mike Schilling, Mike Thrutchley, Alan Combs, Tom Winkel, Jim Murphy, Dan Jend.

Dear Chris,
Terrific girl minded girl has with a lot of other things on her mind like you calling me names. Remember I'm sure you do. Be kind to all your girlfriends and love them dearly.

Yours always,

Me

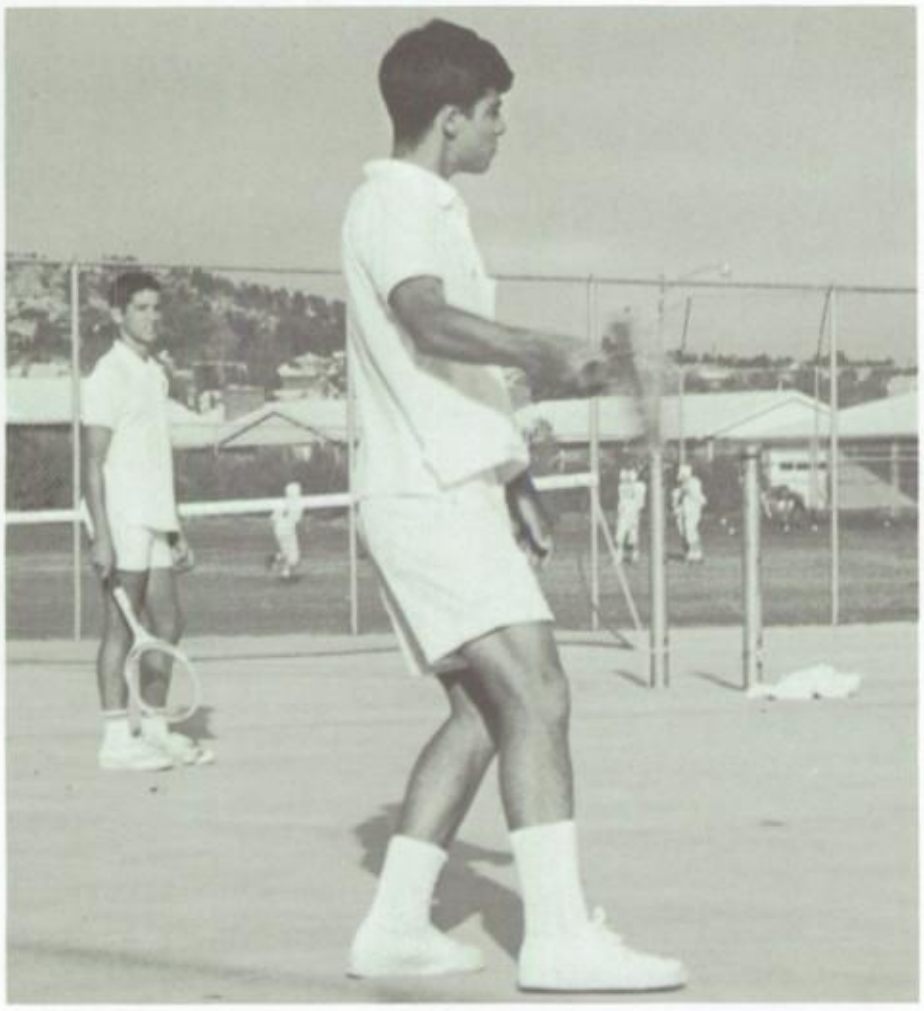
Suiter

(Chris "69")

Captain Gary Loveless, first man, awaits a serve in Wasson's win over Pueblo East.

FRONT ROW: Carl Provencher, Ray Snow, Chris Skelton, Davis Watson, Doug Sisk, mgr., Bob Dethloff. BACK ROW: Coach Carl Roberts, Gary Loveless, Dave Collier, Dan Gordon, Rob Wilson, Mike Hettle, Paul Roesler.

Thunderbird Netters Take Eighth Place in State Tournament

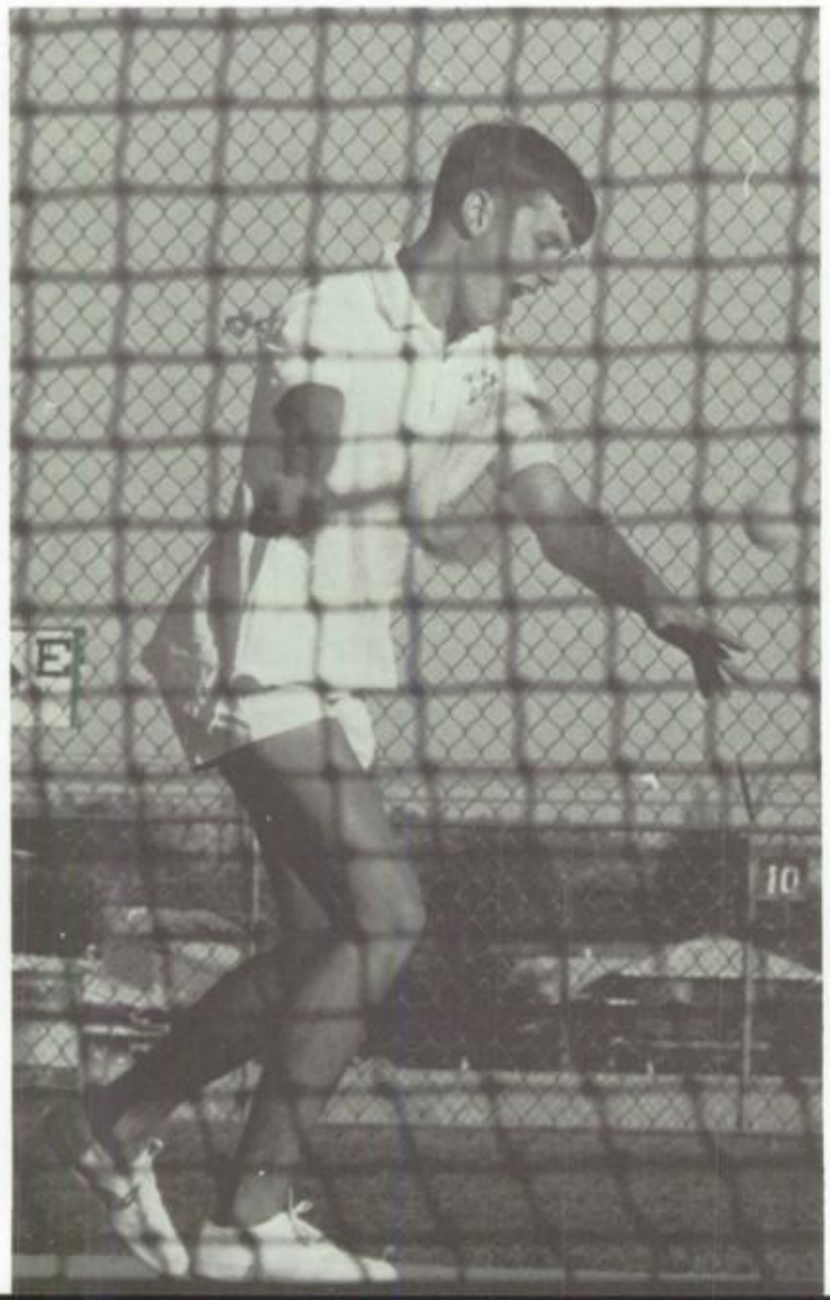


Danny Gordon slams a forehand against Trinidad as his partner Dave Collier looks on. Gordon and Collier took second in district doubles play.

LED BY FIVE returning lettermen, the 1967 T-Bird netmen posted a 10 win, 2 loss record, taking eighth at the state tennis tournament in Boulder. This followed a tough conference schedule which saw the 'Birds take third place in both the South Central League and the district meet, losing only to undefeated Pueblo Central, the league champ, and once-beaten Mitchell. The T-Birds were tied in district by Cheyenne Mountain.

Gary Loveless qualified for state at the district meet by placing third in the number two singles, while Dan Gordon and Dave Collier also qualified in the doubles competition. Loveless went on to take fourth in the state meet; however, Gordon and Collier fell in the consolation semi-finals. Impressive records were posted by three seniors: Mike Hettle, 12-1, Dan Gordon, 9-1, and Rob Wilson, 8-3. Coach Carl Roberts' netmen highlighted the season in fine fashion by shutting out their last five opponents.

Wasson		Opponent
5	Pueblo South	2
7	Fountain Valley	1
7	Harrison	0
4	Cheyenne Mountain	2
1	Pueblo Central	6
3	Mitchell	4
6	Widefield	1
7	Pueblo Centennial	0
7	Palmer	0
7	Pueblo East	0
7	Cheyenne Mountain	0
7	Trinidad	0
3rd	District Tournament	
8th	State Tournament	



Senior Rob Wilson smashes a backhand at an early season practice.

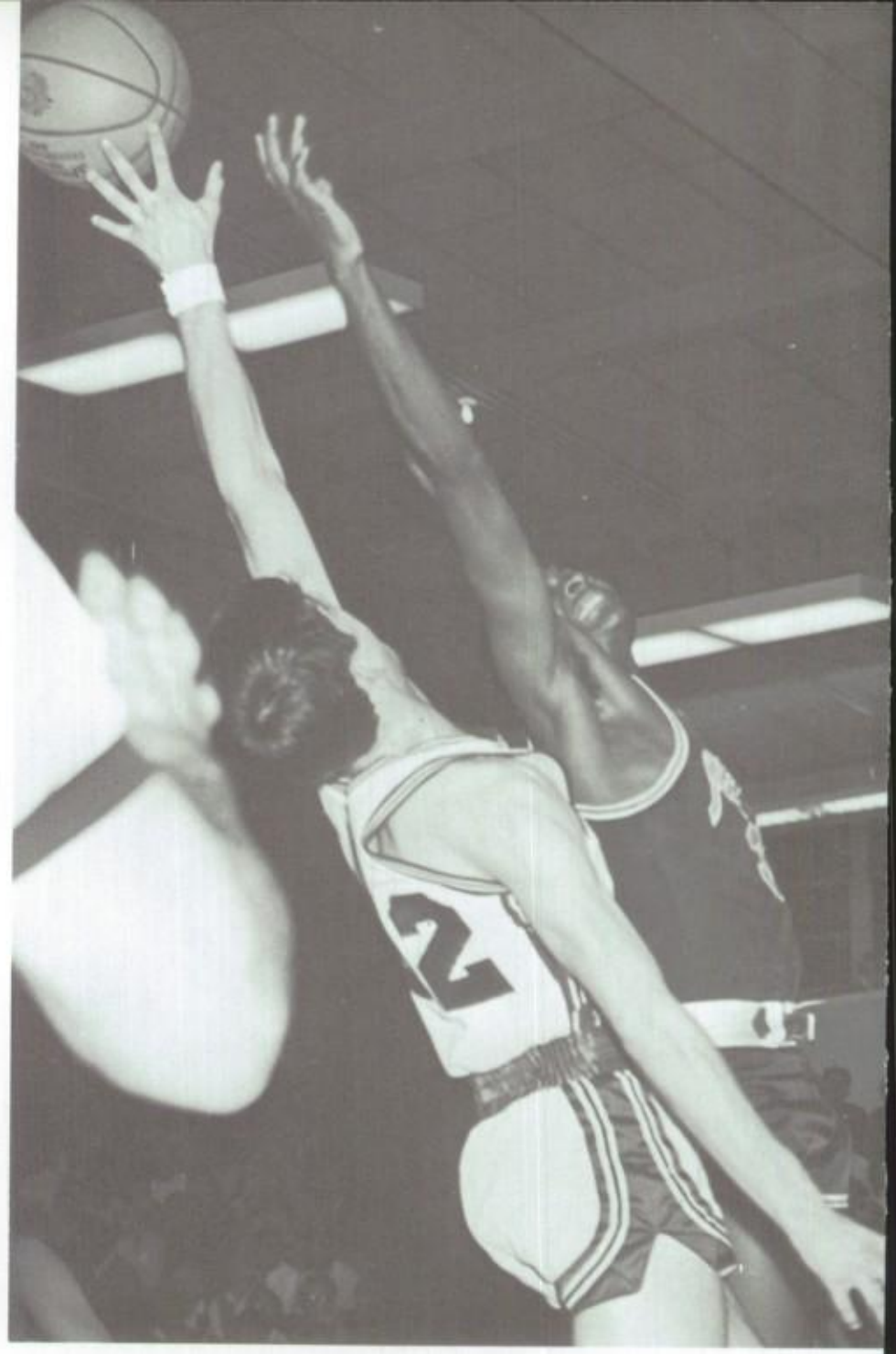
T-Bird Five Ties for Third Place in South Central Race

TYING MITCHELL FOR third place in the torrid South Central race, the Thunderbird cagers dropped to their fourth losing season in nine years with 8 wins and 10 losses. Lack of height and the absence of the injured Dave Murphy, last season's leading scorer, accounted for the 'Birds' downfall.

The highlight of the year came in Wasson's second league game against Mitchell. After dropping five of their first eight games, the 'Birds, who have never lost to Mitchell, rose to the occasion and outplayed the Marauders, 65-61. The first SCL tournament in the league's history was played in 1968; however, the T-Birds lost all three games to take last place.

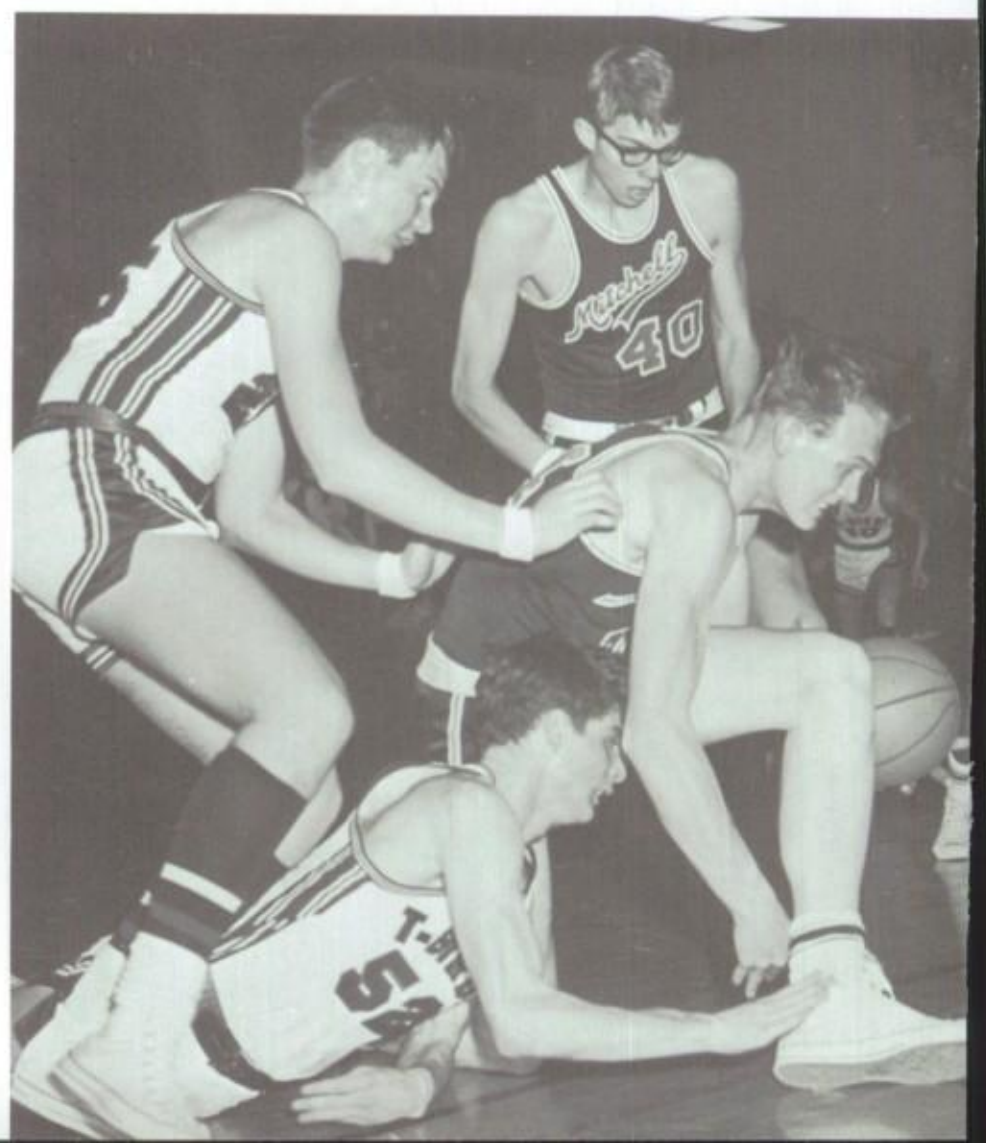
Mark Finlayson was the leading scorer and rebounder for the T-Birds. Pulling down 120 caroms, Finlayson hit 215 points for a 12.2 average. John Murphy followed Finlayson in both departments, scoring 167 points for a 9.3 average and hauling in 113 rebounds. Wasson closed the season, hitting 37.5 per cent from the floor and 63.2 per cent from the free-throw line in Coach Tom Falgien's second year at the helm.

As assistant coach Ed Green checks with the official scorer, head coach Tom Falgien fires up T-Birds in victory over Trinidad.

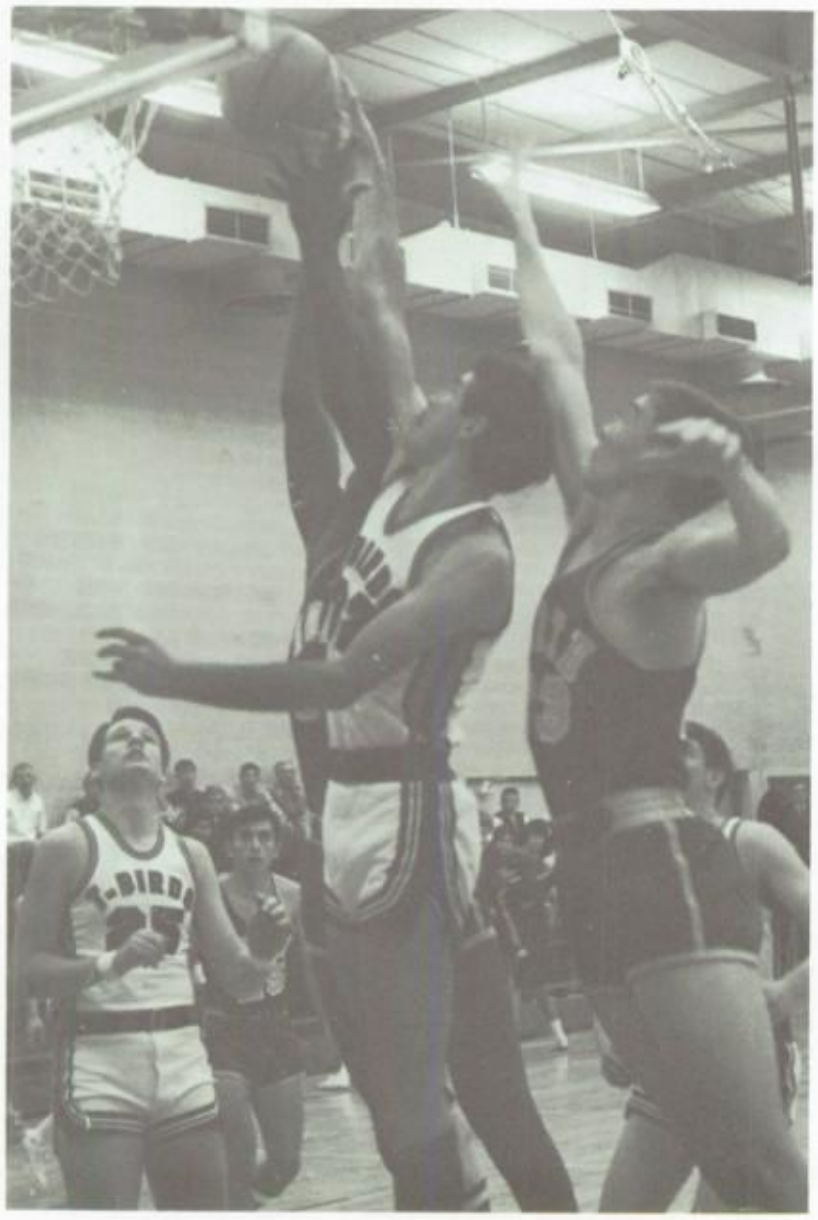


As a referee's arm starts the clock, Doug Spears leaps high for a loose ball.

Mitchell center Mike Clements appears to be tying his shoe in this scramble with Vance Hamphill and Doug Spears. Wasson laced the Marauders, 65-61.



As Vance Hemphill looks on, senior John Murphy attempts a tip-in during the second of two Thunderbird victories over Denver North.



Wasson		Opponent
61	Cherry Creek	68
71	Denver Lincoln	66
47	Wheat Ridge	74
71	Denver North	58
64	Denver North	54
67	Ft. Collins	75
48	St. Mary's	62
55	Pueblo Central	79
65	Mitchell	61
79	Trinidad	44
55	Pueblo Centennial	71
60	Palmer	66
66	Cheyenne	57
78	Pueblo South	62
67	Pueblo East	66
70	Pueblo South	80
59	Pueblo Central	72
65	Pueblo East	74

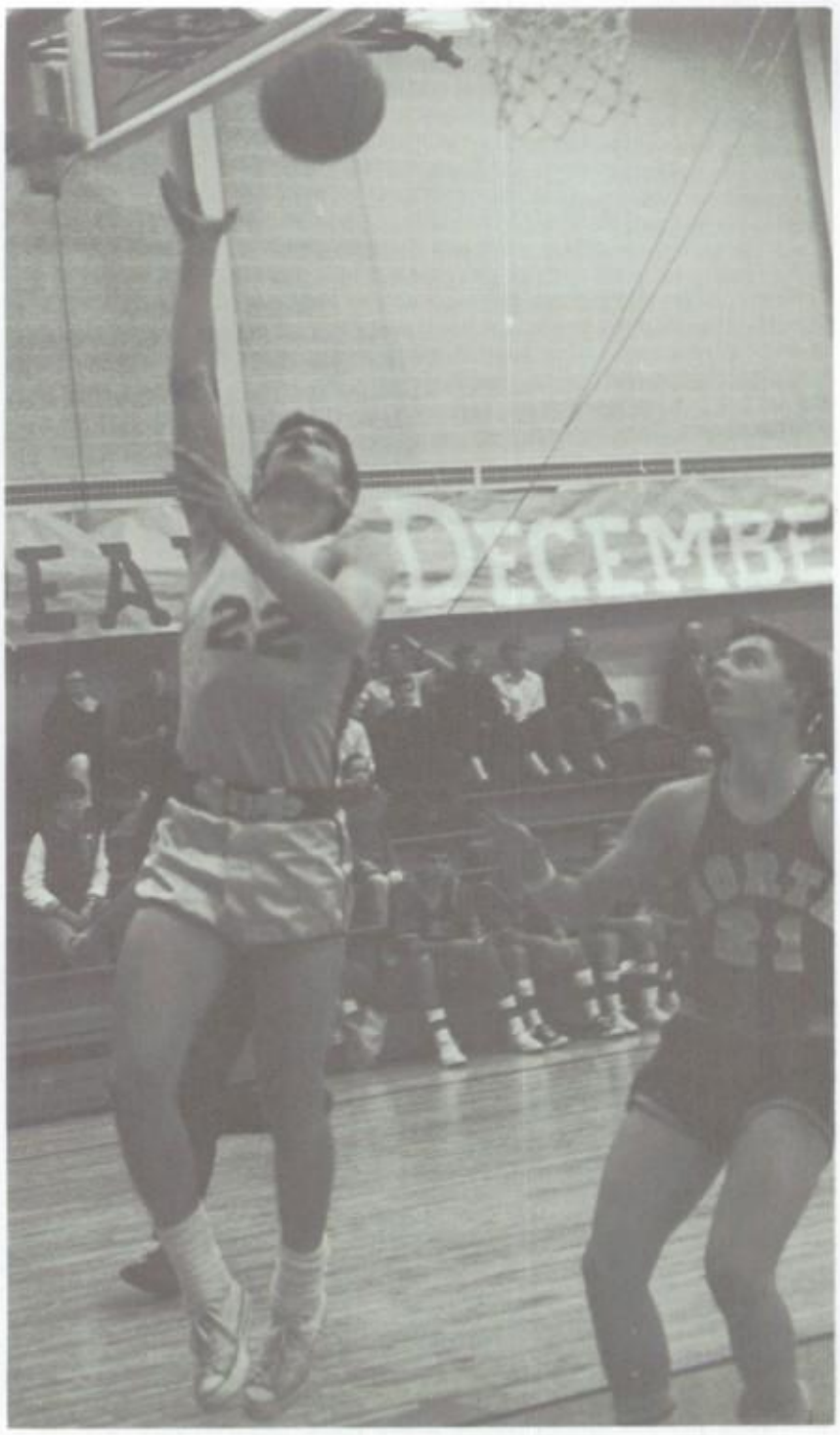
FRONT ROW: Coach Tom Falgien, Coach Ed Green, Ron Nighswonger, student teacher; Richard Kargard, manager. BACK ROW: Doug Pagels, Clay Williams, Mark Finlayson, John Murphy, Chuck Hughes, Vance Hemphill, Carl Lansing, Doug Spears, Dale Isley, Dave Murphy.

J. V. Hit Winning Season; Take Fourth Place in League

UNDER THE COACHING of Ed Green, the 1968 Jayvee squad fought their way to a 11-6 season record, taking fourth in league play and fifth in the post-season tournament.

In each of their first fourteen games, the junior cagers were down by at least twenty points, yet they were able to win nine of these with solid second-half play. The squad's best offensive effort came against Pueblo Roncalli when they totalled eighty-six points, while their duel with Cheyenne was termed their best defensive game as the T-Birds held the Indians to only thirty-five counters. In the regular season race the hardcourt men hit 31% from the field and 65% from the charity line.

Wasson		Opponent
71	Lincoln	52
66	D. & B.	41
55	Denver North	48
63	Fort Collins	54
51	Cherry Creek	63
60	St. Marys	51
62	Central	70
45	Mitchell	53
67	Trinidad	36
53	Centennial	43
60	Palmer	49
53	Cheyenne	36
66	South	78
64	East	70



Going up for two, Rick Lohman, Wasson junior, scores in a contest with Denver North. Wasson rallied to win the game in overtime.

JAYVEE: Rich Lohman, Chris Finlayson, Erhard Fitzsimmons, Rick Gossage, Dave McKelfresh, Mike Chaussee, Dennis Pope, Richard Leasure, Greg Camilli, Steve Hughes, Johnny White. KNEELING: Coach Ed Green.

B-Cagers Set 8-7 Record; Finish Fourth in Local Play

DESPITE THE FACT that five sophomores were moved up to the Junior Varsity Squad in January, the B-Squad completed their basketball season with an eight and seven record, finishing fourth in their league. Combining speed and height, the baby birds averaged 66.7 points per game, allowing their opponents an average of only 48.2 points per game, Jim Bonner led all scorers with 182 points for the season, which gave him an average of 12 points per game.

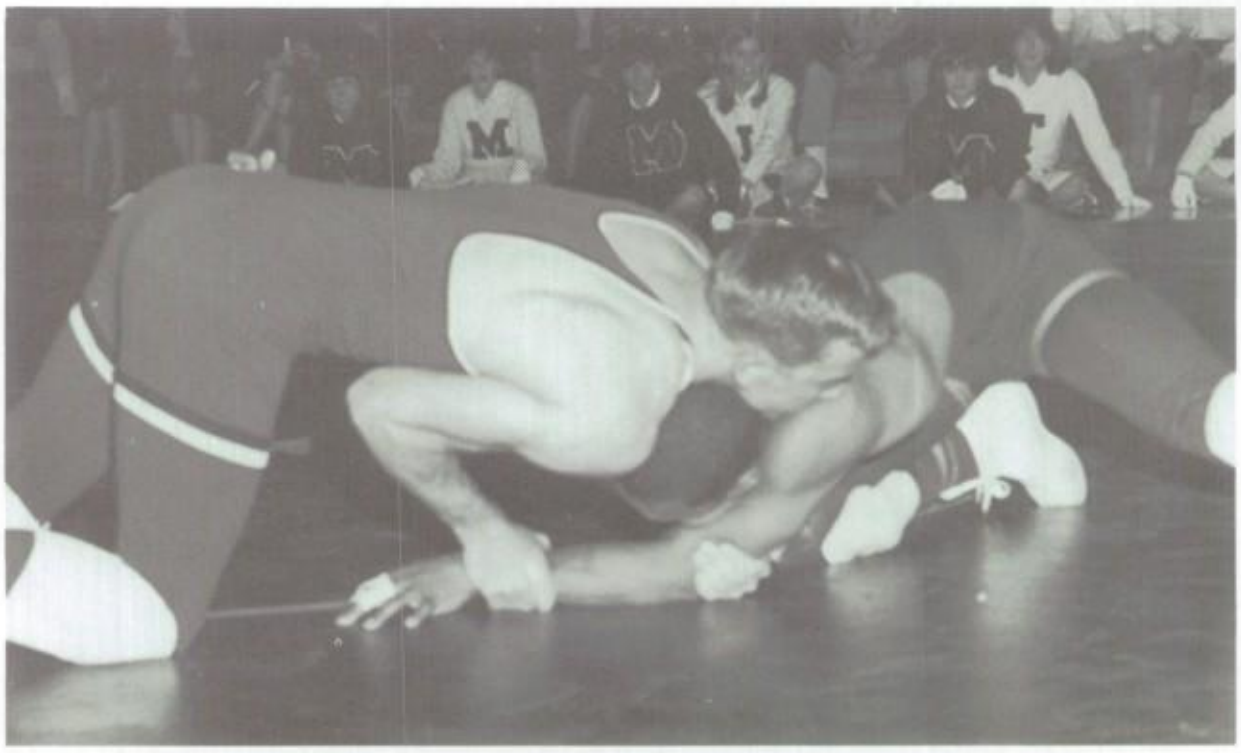
This year's record marked Coach Talbott's second winning season in as many years at the helm.

Wasson		Opponent
71	Harrison	30
93	Air Academy	30
88	Harrison	28
70	St. Mary's	44
60	Widefield	62
62	Cheyenne	36
101	Air Academy	15
50	St. Mary's	63
51	Cheyenne	33
49	Palmer	65
55	Mitchell	74
88	Canon City	37
55	Widefield	81
52	Palmer	60
56	Mitchell	64

FRONT ROW: Richard Knudsen, Bob Evangelista, Phil Berkeland, Paul Smith, Jim Bonner. BACK ROW: Coach Hart, Sam Houston, Leroy Gortariz, Terry Mason, Joe Miles, Larry Glasser, Coach Talbott.

Putting the ball in play, Joe Miles is harassed by an opponent.

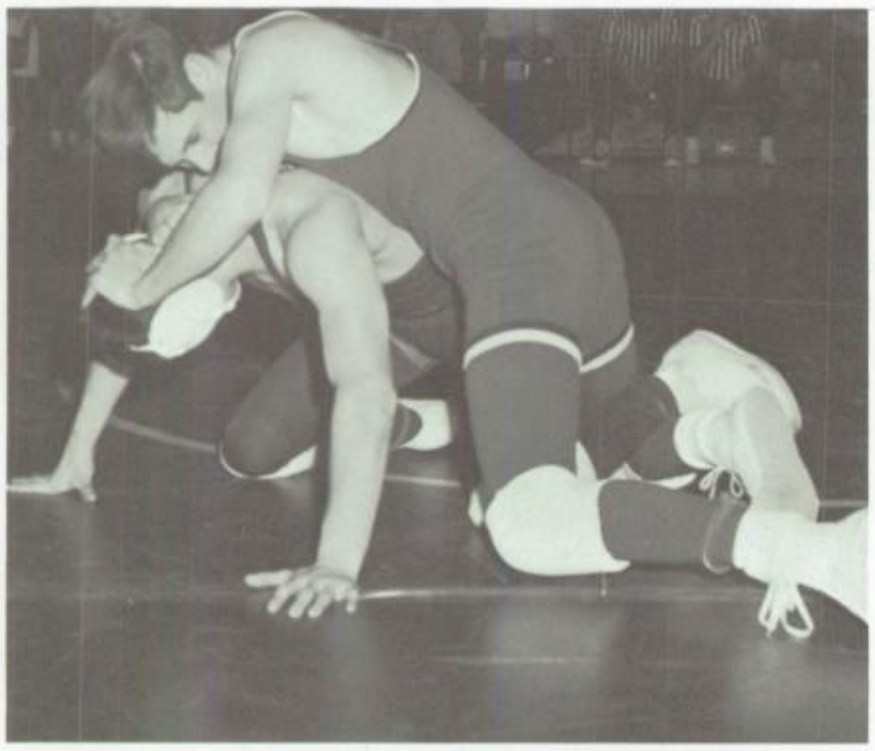
1968 Grapplers Capture District Crown ;



Co-captain Larry Skodack struggles to control his Marauder opponent in a match that ended a 1-1 tie.

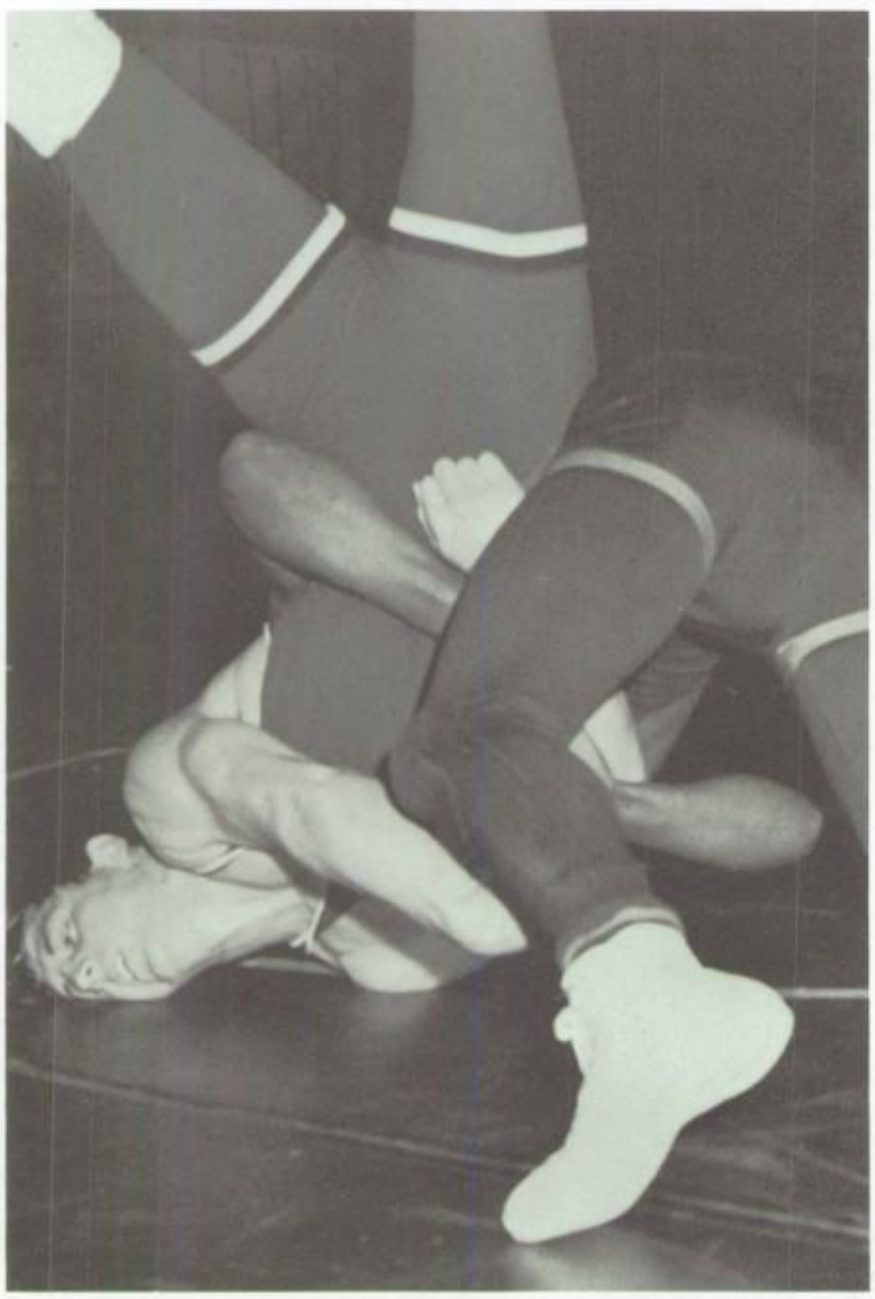
FRONT ROW: Coach Crider, Sam Avalos, Coach Kalber. ROW TWO: Nick Avalos, Scott Wilson, Dave Collier, Ron O'Canna, Doug Stone, Tom Colon, Dan McClure, Vic Buffetti, Darrell Holley, Larry Skodack, Mike Bennett, Gary Hagopian. ROW THREE: Dave Lohman, Ray Martinez, Cecil Luna, Don Britt, Tom Winkel, Marlo Langman, Jim Switzer, Dave Svoboda, Pete Gomes, John Ponting, Rick Glasoe. ROW FOUR: Robbie Fowler, Jeff Scott, W. L. Whaley, Bruce Ray, Bobby Blanchard, Mike deChadenedes, Ken Grimes, David Roettjer, Jan Horn, Junior White, Charles Fish. BACK ROW: Bill Westbay, Michael Andreja, Larry Gillette, Gordon Seibel, Jim Walter, John Skovgaard, Joe Schwab, Rusty Turpin, Ken Brown, Richard Knox. NOT PICTURED: Bernard Duarte, Charles Williams.

Post 8-3-1 Season Record



Downing his opponent 6-1, Dan McClure rides his way to the state meet.

Straining for victory, Mike Bennett grapples to a tough 7-4 decision.



BY TOPPING THEIR opponents with a total of seventy-five points, the 1968 matmen captured the District title and qualified six competitors for the state tournament. With only four seniors the varsity squad rolled to an 8-3-1 season record, their only losses coming at the hands of Pueblo schools. Coach Kalber described this year's wrestlers as having "good balance and good team effort rather than good individuals."

Junior Mike Bennett was the outstanding grappler with a 19-5 record, taking fourth in the 180 pound class in the state championships. Bennett and junior Dan McClure tied for a new record of ten pins in one season; these additional ten pins boosted Bennett's career total to thirteen, another new record. In addition to these standouts, Mr. Kalber specified co-captain Gary Hagopian as a "consistently tough wrestler" with a 17-5-1 record.

Wasson		Opponent
29	Air Force Academy	15
33	Aurora Central	11
25	Cheyenne	17
28	Mitchell	11
21	Harrison	21
18	Pueblo Central	21
22	Pueblo South	18
43	Palmer	9
25	Trinidad	19
16	Pueblo Centennial	29
14	Pueblo East	29

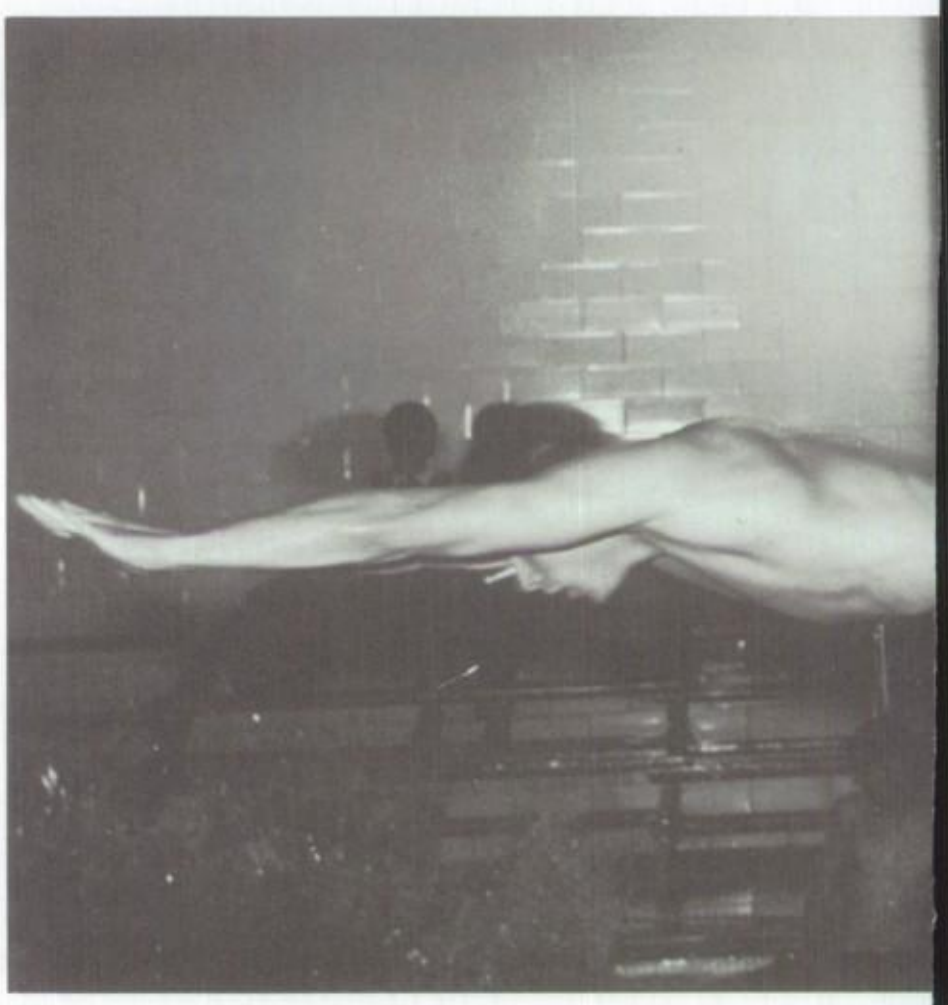
T-Bird Tank Team Takes First in SCL and District

THIS YEAR'S T-BIRD tankers, led by captains R. J. Davis and Pat McCarthy, punctuated a winning season by placing first in the South Central League and winning their fourth consecutive District title. McVehil's Navy defeated all of the area schools and several Denver schools, including Aurora Hinkley, Aurora Central, and Abraham Lincoln. The swimmers were beaten in only three dual meets, these defeats being at the hands of Thomas Jefferson, John F. Kennedy, and George Washington High Schools. Wasson's tankers also participated in the University of Denver Invitational Swim Meet and the Denver Public Schools' Relays.

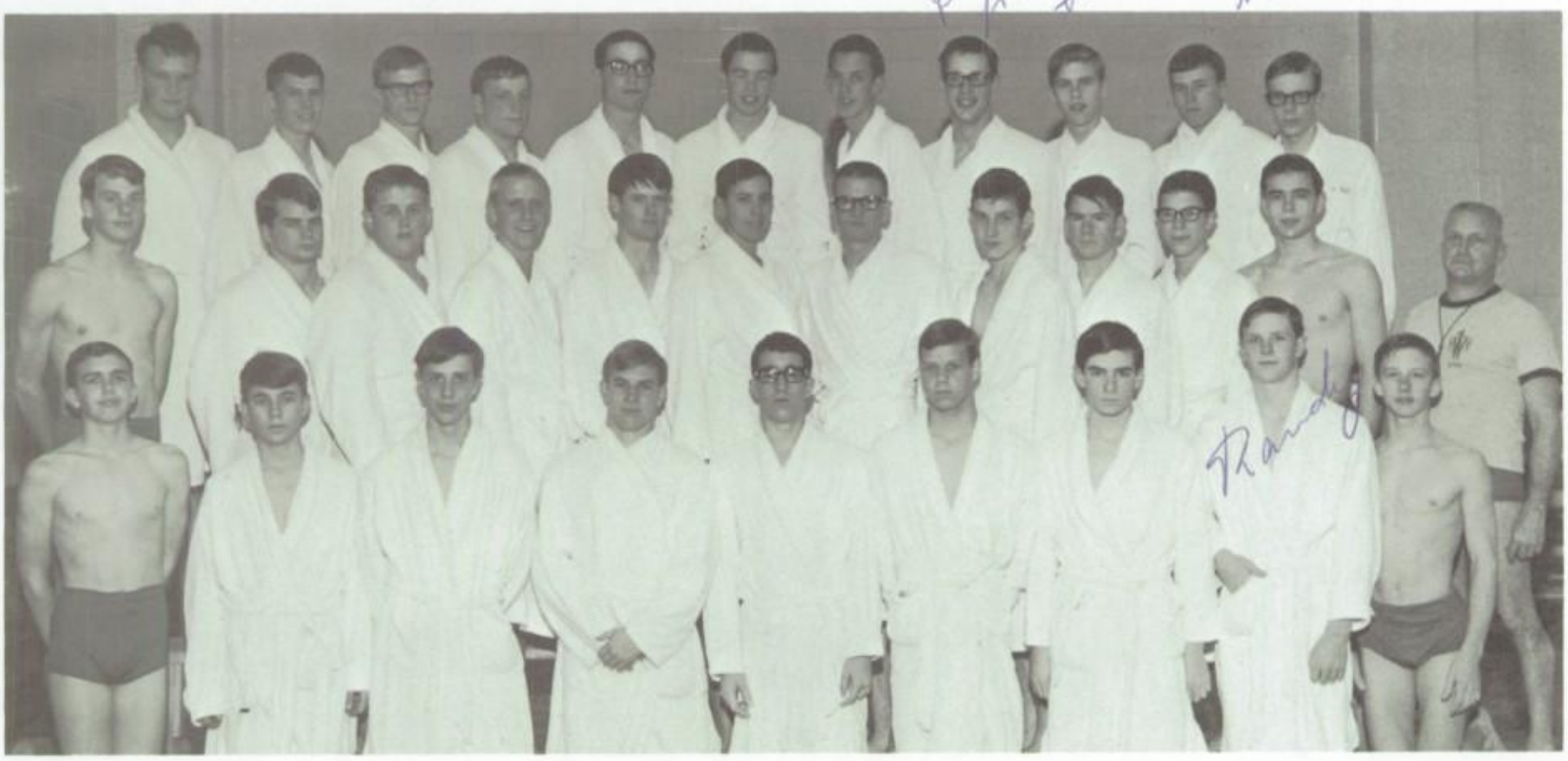
Three new records were set by the swimmers. Sophomore Bruce Gibson broke the old 100 yard backstroke team record with a new time of 1:04.9. The 400 yard freestyle relay team of Jeff McDonald, Randy Erwin, Dan Turner, and Loren Imhoff set a new District record of 3:45.5. This same relay team, with the exception of R. J. Davis replacing Randy Erwin, also set a Wasson pool record of 3:44.9. Coach Ed McVehil's swim team finished a successful season with a 10th place finish at the state meet.

Wasson		Opponent
65	Cheyenne	30
41	Thomas Jefferson	54
69	Harrison	26
9th	University of Denver Invitational	
73	Widefield	22
75	Aurora Hinkley	20
53	Aurora Central	42
68	Palmer	57
43	John F. Kennedy	52
49	Abraham Lincoln	46
3rd	Denver Public Schools' Relays	
31	George Washington	64
56	Mitchell	39
1st	South Central League	
1st	District	
10th	State Meet	

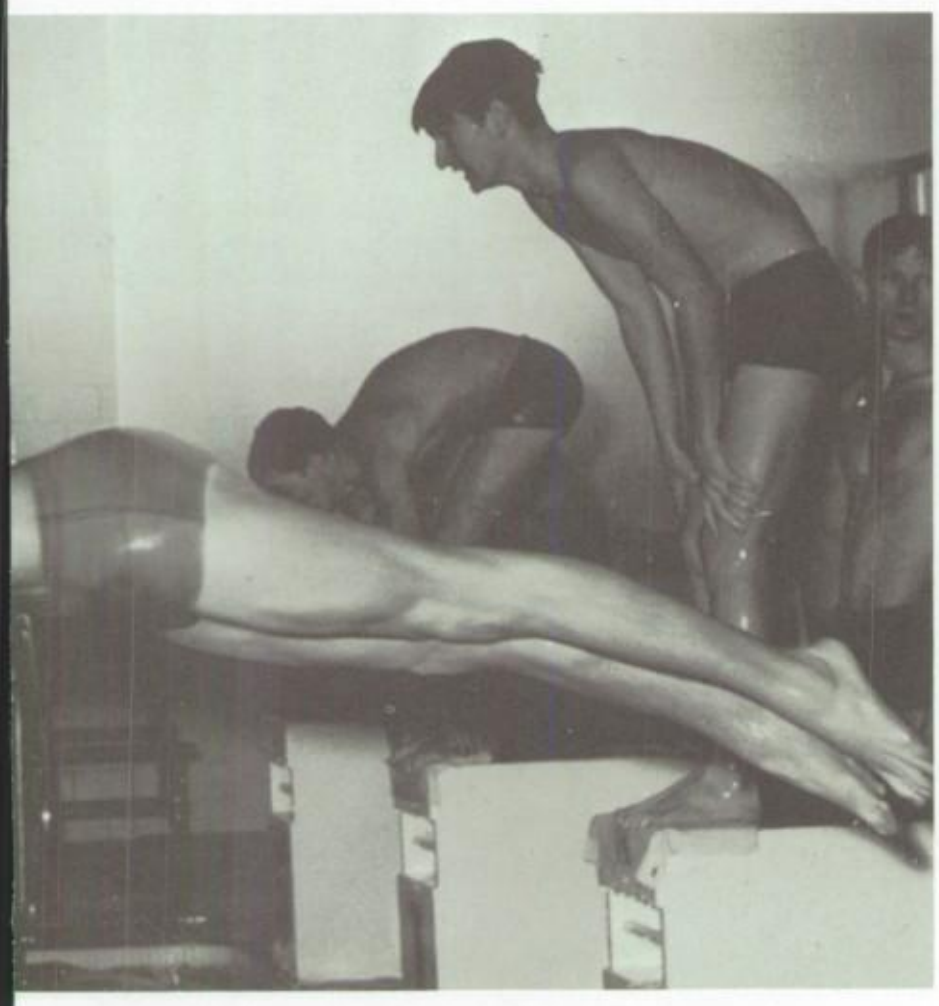
Grimacing Terry Watson awaits the splash-down after a difficult dive.

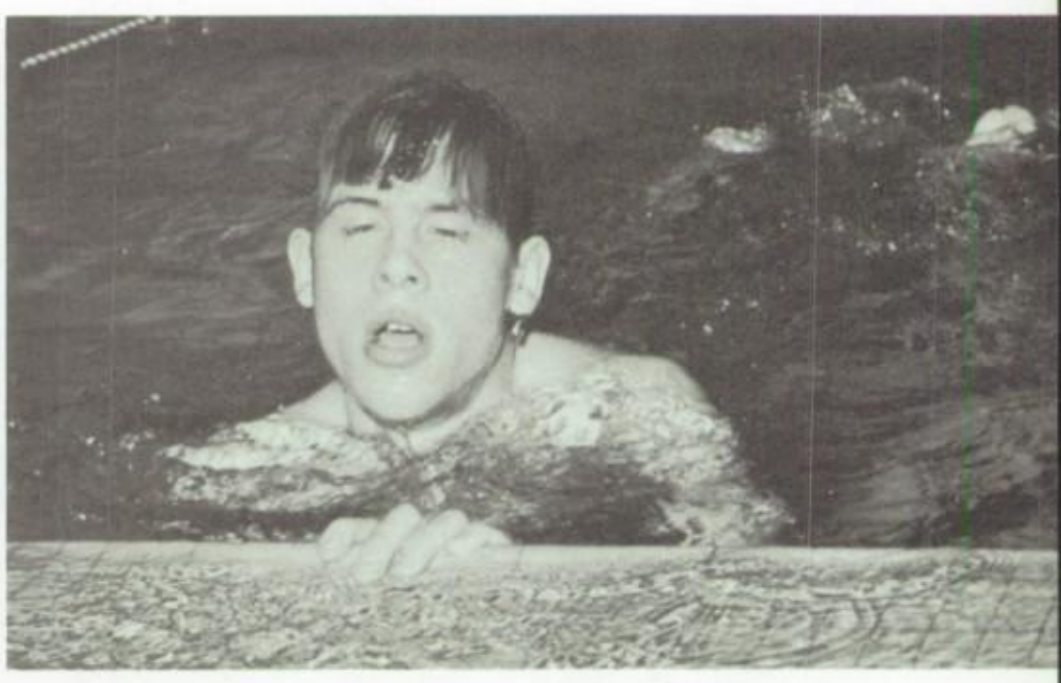


Bon,
Sure glad you
learned the hard way.
I hope I can live up
the town like you did. Have
fun in college but don't go out
for swimming, waste your time on
the women! Good luck and well
miss ya next year
Randy



FRONT ROW: Roger Bradshaw, Bill Greene, Steve Baile, Art Buckley, Tony Hendrix, Jack Hoover, Danny Crossey, Randy Erwin, Jay Zoellner. ROW TWO: Mark Robbins (mgr.), Sam George, Stephen Sonnkalb, Loren Imhoff, Charlie Osburn, Larry Liston, Dan Turner, Mike Thrutchley, Terry Watson, Mickey Gordon, Michael Bonebrake, Coach Ed McVehil. BACK ROW: Bill Ragle, Jeff McDonald, Lynn Herbert, Randy McAdam, Pat McCarthy (captain), Bruce Gibson, Tom Tighe, Andrew Weigel, Bryce Fast, R. J. Davis (captain), Benson Shaw.





The agony over, speedy Bryce Fast gasps for air after the completion of a grueling individual medley in a close meet with Denver Lincoln High.

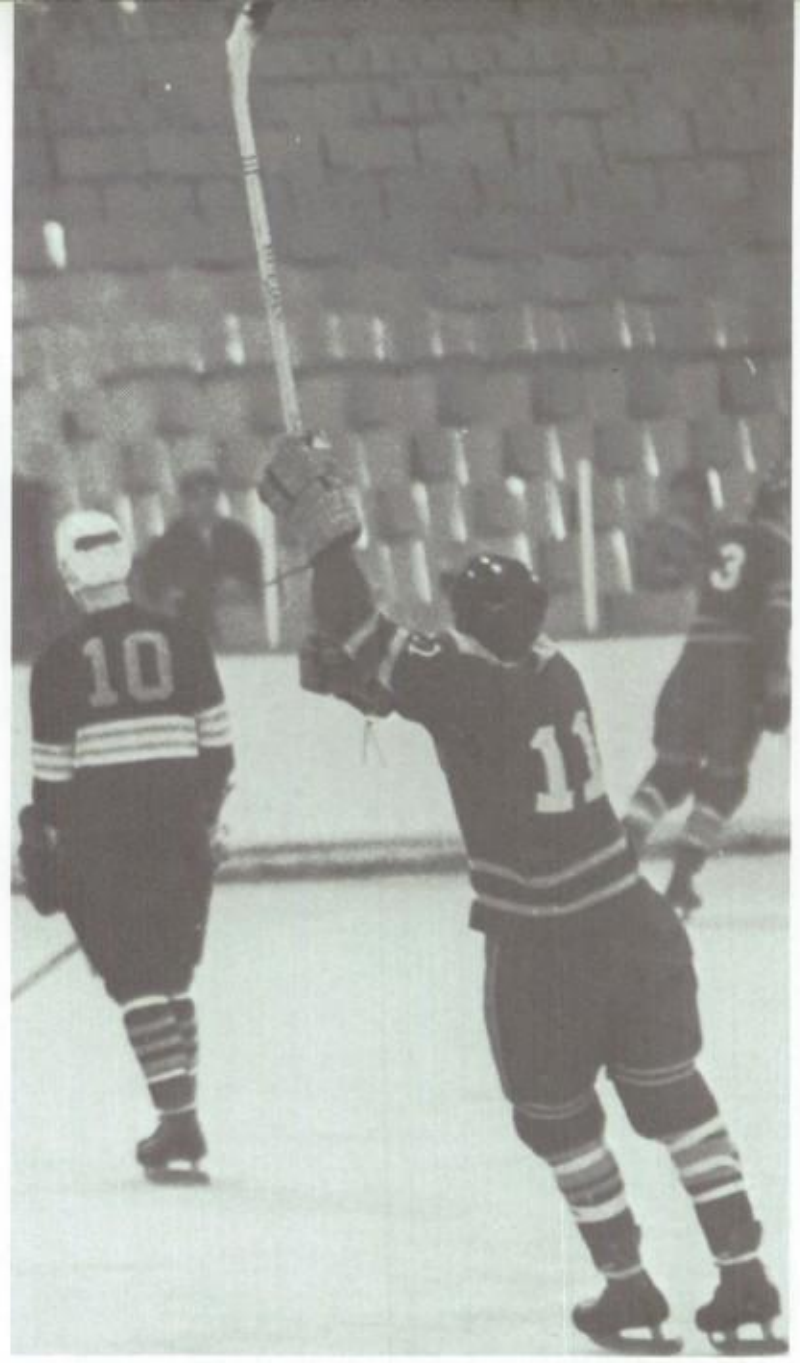
Stretching hard, R. J. Davis explodes off the blocks in a relay leg.

T-Bird Icers Capture First City Hockey League Crown

FINISHING THEIR GREATEST season in nine years, the T-Bird ice team won their first City Hockey League championship with an 11-1 record. After opening the league schedule with a 3-1 victory over Fountain Valley, the T-Birds then dropped their only game of the season to Cheyenne, 5-2. The icers were not stopped again, however, winning ten straight games to take the title handily.

Rocky Whitworth was the key player to the team's success. Whitworth led the league in scoring with a record-breaking 30 goals and 45 total points, and was also highly honored by being named Most Valuable Player in the CHL for 1968. Larry Braun followed Whitworth, taking second in CHL scoring with 31 total points on 14 goals. Both Whitworth and Braun were named as first line All-CHL selections, along with captain Dave Muir. Chip Merkert, Brian Keane, and Mike Rothe received all-CHL honorable mention.

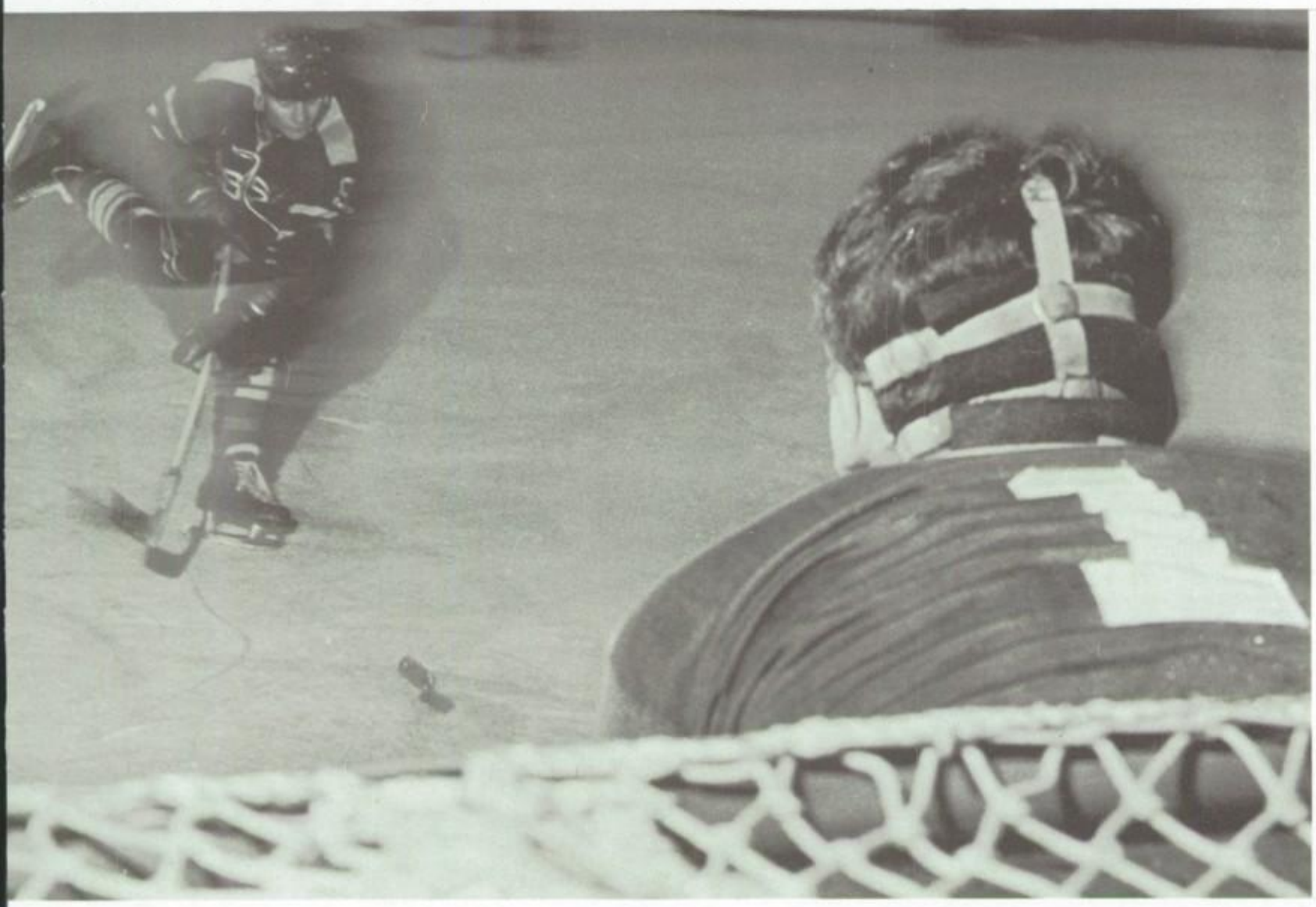
For the second straight year Wasson's individual scoring, including the 5-1 exhibition victory over Palmer, was dominated by Whitworth and Braun, who scored 32 and 15 goals respectively.



Exuberant Larry Braun lifts his stick after goal over Mitchell.

FRONT ROW: Mike Baker, Mike Rothe, Larry Braun, Dave Muir, captain; Rocky Whitworth, Brian Keane, Barry Keane, Richard Cotton. ROW TWO: Chris Metcalf, Jim Palmer, Bill Taylor, Ron Harris. BACK ROW: Scott Metcalf, Chip Merkert, Mike Williams, Brian Sheahan, Eric Bogren, Mark MacFarlane, Coach Harry Whitworth.

Slapping a pre-game practice shot against goalie Mike Rothe is Rocky Whitworth. Whitworth led the CHL in scoring during 1968.

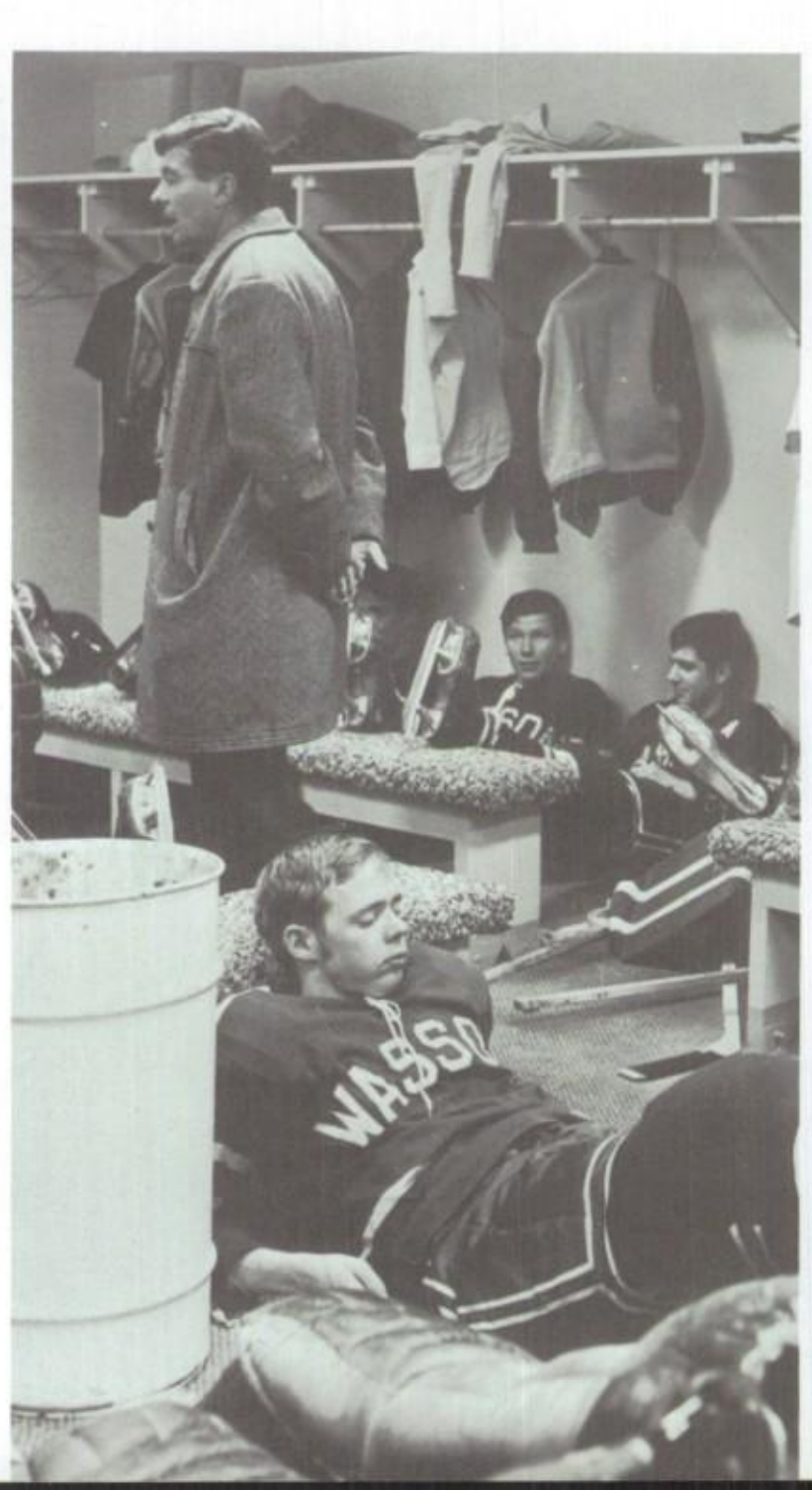


Avoiding a vicious board check, junior Chip Merkert struggles to control the puck for a shot on goal.

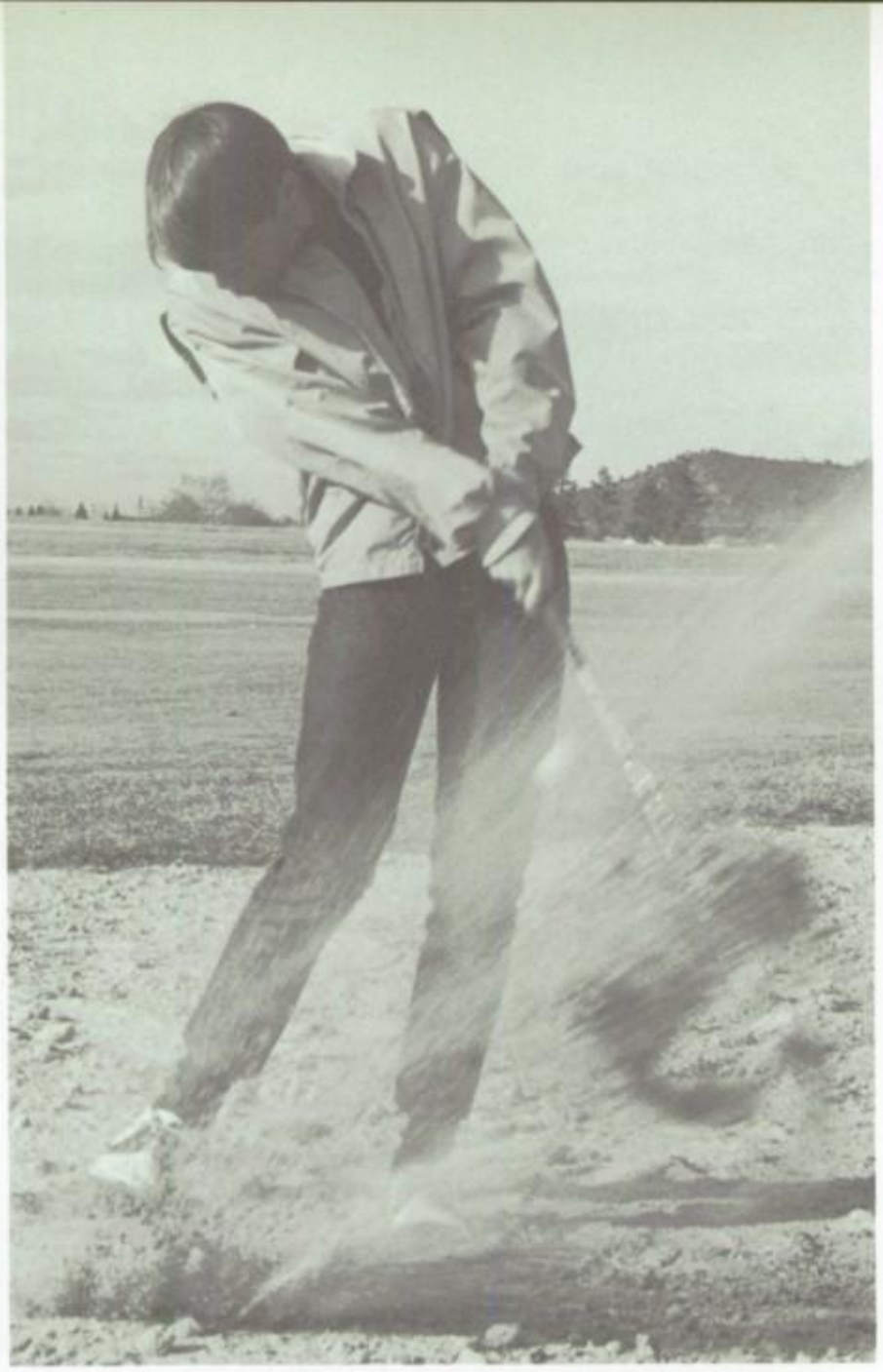
Dumped on the ice, Brian Keane ***yells*** *with disgust.*

T-Bird center Rocky Whitworth faces off against Mitchell in the first of two league victories over the Marauders.

Wasson		Opponent
3	Fountain Valley	1
2	Cheyenne	5
4	Littleton	1
11	Mitchell	2
16	Air Academy	1
4	Palmer	1
7	Littleton	1
6	Fountain Valley	3
5	Cheyenne	2
7	Mitchell	1
19	Air Academy	0
12	Palmer	0



Coach Harry Whitworth paces the dressing room in between periods.



Blasting another shot from the sand trap, Jim Knipp approaches the green.

Linksters Capture Eighth in 1967 State Golf Tournament

BECOMING WASSON'S FIRST state individual medalist champion, Tom Connell led the 1967 T-Bird golf team to eighth place in the state tournament. The linksters, who won all but three of their matches, took second place in a tight South Central League race that saw Pueblo South win by six strokes. The 'Birds, however, nipped South by one strokee in the district qualifying match to send four men to state. Then it was Connell who turned, red hot with rounds of 72, 74, and 72 at Boulder to win the state medalist championship with a total score of 128.

Jim Knipp was the only returning letterman for 1968 as coach Bert Hoffmeister had to rebuild his team. Knipp played second man throughout last year and was a key player to the success of this year's team.

1967 RECORD

Meet	Place
City Championship	1st
Patty Jewett	1st
Valley Hi Country Club	2nd
Woodmoor	1st
Colorado Springs Country Club	1st
S.C.L. Championship	2nd
Colorado Springs Country Club	2nd
Trinidad	1st
Pueblo	1st
District Qualifying	1st
State Championship	8th

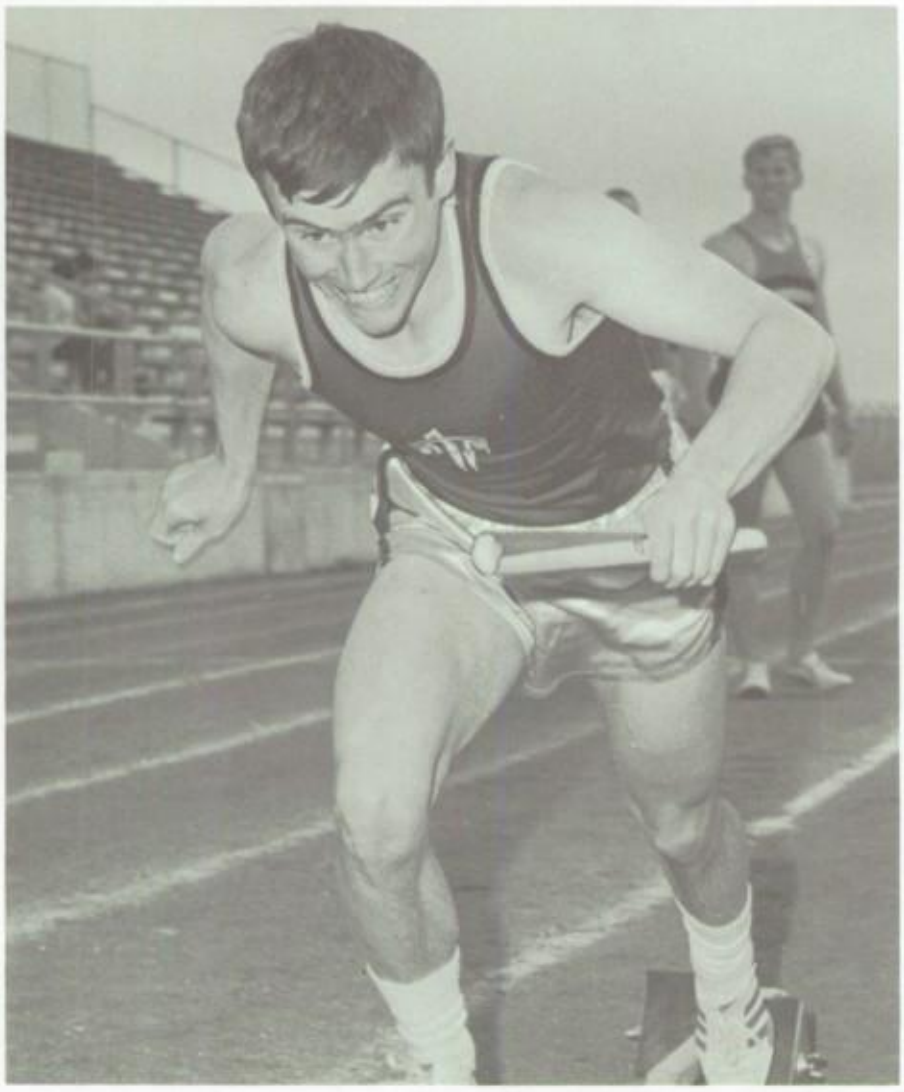
FRONT ROW: John Bartol, Jim Wilson, Paul Roesler, Tim Sedgley, Ed Doerffel, Jeff Jones, Don Ellis. BACK ROW: Coach Bert Hoffmeister, Jim Knipp, Mike Carbonell, Rob Wilson, Paul Carlton, Mark Donnell, Chuck McAllister.

Cinder Slate Boasts Eight Firsts; T-Birds Win S.C.L.

HIGHLIGHTED BY a first place in the SCL track meet, the cinder slate boasted seven firsts, one third, and one fourth to mark Coach Miller's first year as head coach. Beginning in late February, the tracksters began preparing for their rough season which lasted until the state meet in May. During this time many school records fell. John Moon, then a junior, broke the school record in the 180 yard low hurdles with a time of 19.9. Dave Williams broke the school discus record with a toss of 171 feet 4 inches. The mile relay team consisting of Dan Jend, Don Becker, Doug Pagels, and Dave Thomas also broke the existing school record setting the new mark with a time of 3:28.12.
The track team ended their exceptional season by scoring 2½ points in the state meet.

Up and over another hurdle goes Bob Mueller, Thunderbird speedster.

FRONT ROW: Scott Wilson, Dan Jend, Jerry Buchholz, Nick Rossi, Stu Hayduk, Bill Green, John Moon, Jim Burke, Vergil Howell, Steve Benson, Steve Caulder, Doug Pagels, Don Everson. ROW TWO: Clay Williams, Randy Rodes, Doug Spears, Toby Kircher, Bob Mueller, Larry Skodack, Vic Buffetti, Mark Loftus, Bob Blanchard, Gary Doane, Scott Olson Mike Cimino. ROW THREE: Dennis Parker, Dale Holmes, Bob Hogg, Junior White, Randy McAdam, Bob Wilson, Mike Bennett, Steve Hughes, Jim Ayres, Mike Baker, Alan Combs, Jay Rodman. ROW FOUR: Mike Romano, Dave Dieter, Jim Cosgrove, Chris Finlayson, David Laughren, Steve Baile, Mark Smith, Tracy Goodale, Tom Nesler, Kim Fenton, Hoyt Wills, Jeff McVay, Don Jones. ROW FIVE: Randy Dudzinski, Paul Smith, Jim DeMark, Ken Brown, Ken Grimes, Barry Stewart, Bob Craun, Mark Clary, Martin Powell, Dave Roettjer, John Lakey, Uwe Padubrin. BACK ROW: Coach Dick Westbay, Ken Norton, Bob Dehtloff, Tom Winkle, Cito Kirkpatrick, Lee Cracker, Dave Richards, Bruce Baan, Coach Rex Miller.



Sprinting off the blocks, Danny Jend, Wasson speedster, gets an early lead.

1967 RECORD

Meet	Wasson
St. Mary's Quadrangular	1st
Wasson Triangular	1st
Pike's Peak Relays	3rd
Wasson Quadrangular	1st
Tri-City	1st
Centennial Invitational	4th
Aurora 5-Way	1st
C.U. Relays	9th
Fountain Triangular	1st
Wasson-Impromptu	1st
South Central League	1st

Moving fast, Clay Williams hands the baton to Steve Caulder to finish the last leg of the 440 yard relay.

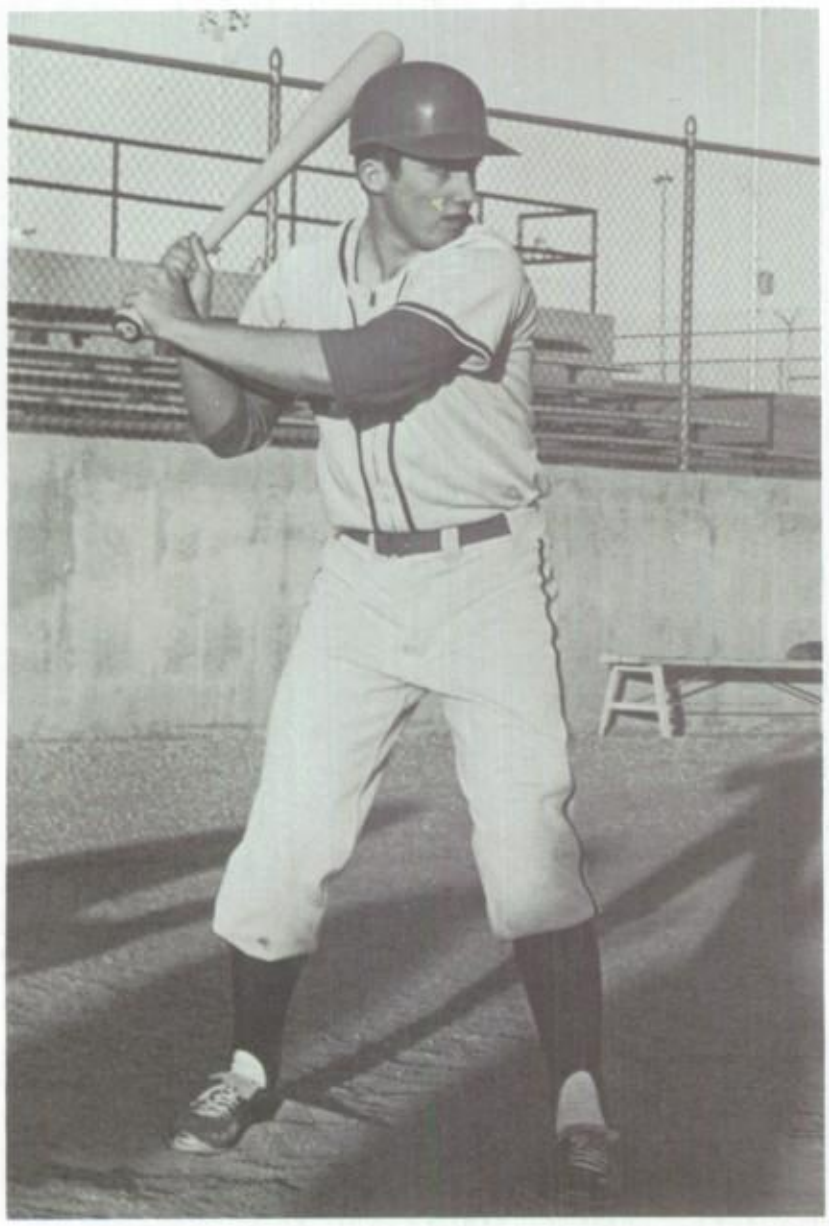
1967 T-Bird Diamond Squad Wins Five, Drops Thirteen

WINNING ONLY FIVE games while losing thirteen, the 1967 Thunderbird baseball team finished with its first losing season in eight years. Weak hitting and fielding contributed to this poor showing, which saw five of the thirteen games lost by one run.

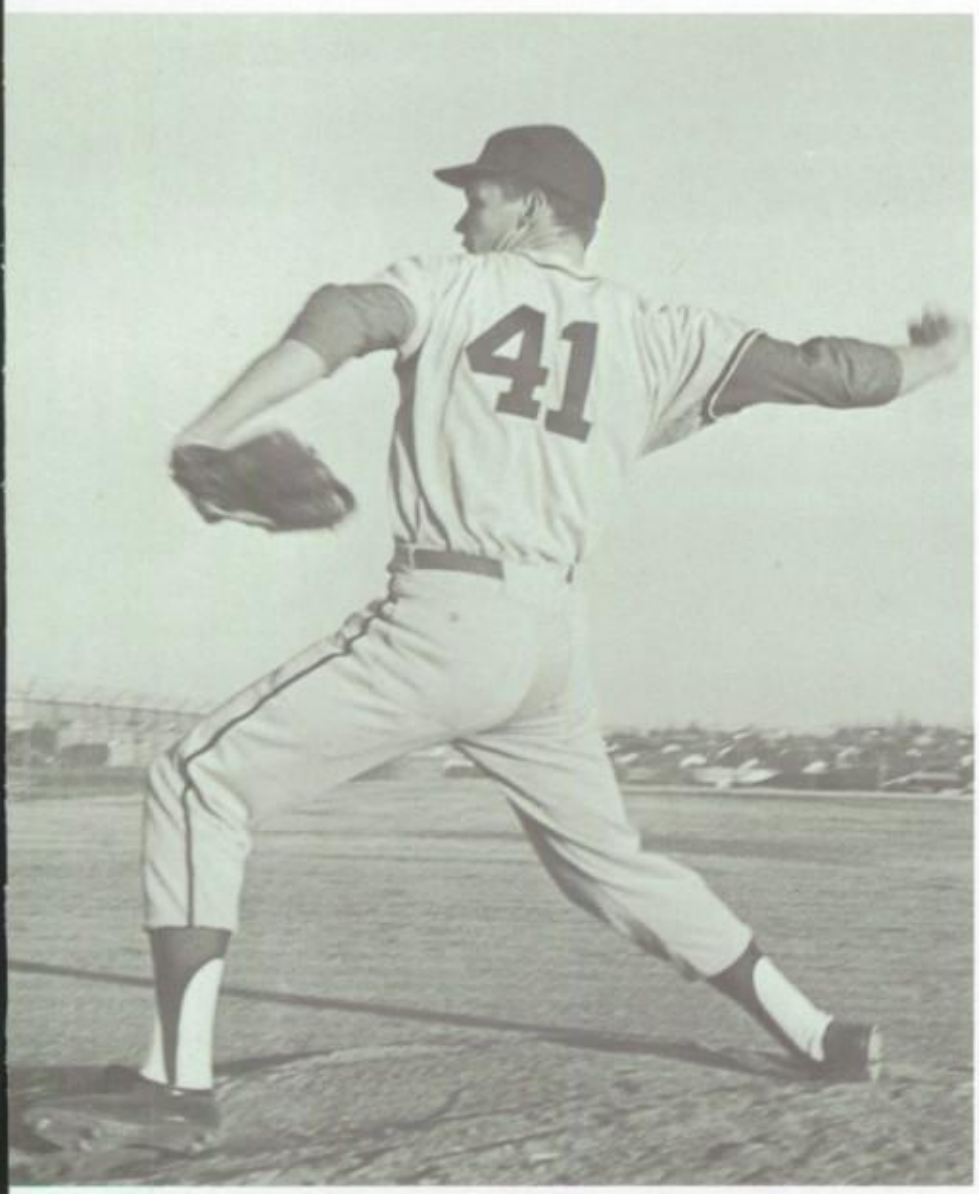
Carl Lansing was the biggest surprise of the otherwise mediocre season. Lansing, who started the season with the jayvees, set a new school record by allowing 0.69 earned runs per game. Phil Freeman led the squad in batting for the second straight year, hitting at an amazing .457 clip. Freeman also led the 'Birds with three home runs, and seventeen runs-batted-in.

The outlook for 1968 looked much better for Coach Kent Hill. Both Lansing and Freeman were back, leading a host of returnees. Freeman, a three-time All-SCL choice, and Lansing were also named to the 1968 City All-Star team.

Senior Dave Murphy awaits the pitch in early season diamond victory.



Mike Rothe, T-Bird junior, hits the plate for another important run.

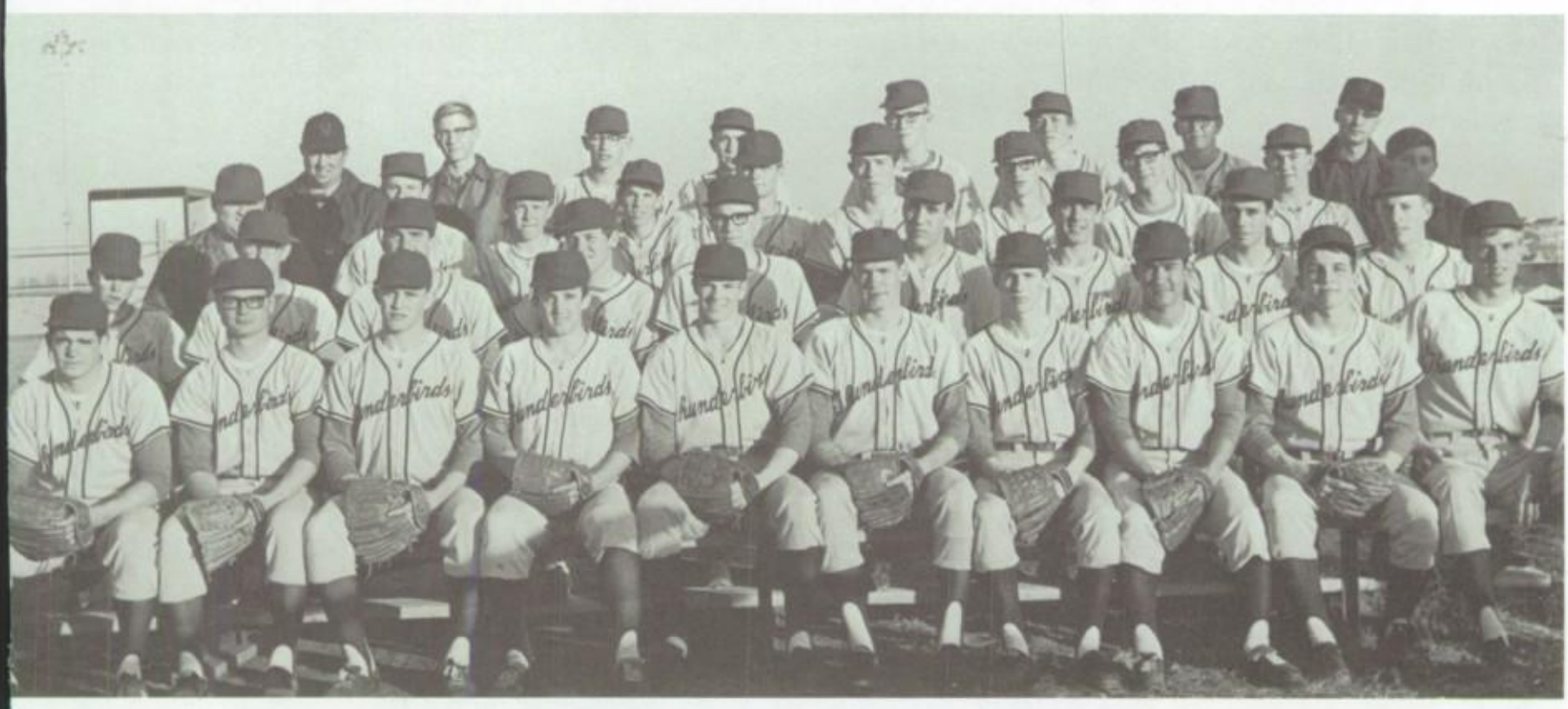


Mound ace Chuck Hughes hurls another strike for the T-Bird baseballers.

1967 RECORD

Wasson		Opponent
11	Denver South	12
1	Pueblo East	2
16	Cheyenne	6
14	Trinidad	0
11	Palmer	5
1	Denver North	10
2	Pueblo Central	3
7	Pueblo Centennial	3
6	Mitchell	9
3	Pueblo South	6
3	Denver Jefferson	9
2	Pueblo East	4
13	Trinidad	5
0	Palmer	7
2	Pueblo Central	5
2	Pueblo Centennial	3
3	Mitchell	4
6	Pueblo South	7

FRONT ROW: Phil Freeman, Barkley Heuser, Larry Williams, Dave Murphy, Mark Finlayson, Chuck Hughes, Dale Isley, Tony Duarte, Steve Steiner, Carl Lansing. ROW TWO: Dave Lohman, Mike Simco, Mike Rothe, Mike Jamison, Phil Puzick, Roger Gandy, Rick Lohman, Johnny White, Jim Switzer. ROW THREE: Bob Hiltner, manager, Jim Lucas, Kit Evans, Tim Bogren, Rocky Whitworth, Mike DeChadenedes, Eddie Barnes, Jim Bonner, Bob Knox, Gene Aalbu, manager. ROW FOUR: Coach Chris Talbott, Steve Bostrom, manager, Dave Baker, Steve Hesselberg, Richard Knudsen, Rick Gossage, Craig Werner, Coach Kent Hill.



BEN
ITS BEEN A GREAT
YEAR IN MATH. THANKS
TO YOU. GOOD LUCK NEXT
YEAR IN COLLEGE.
Jim Sullenberger

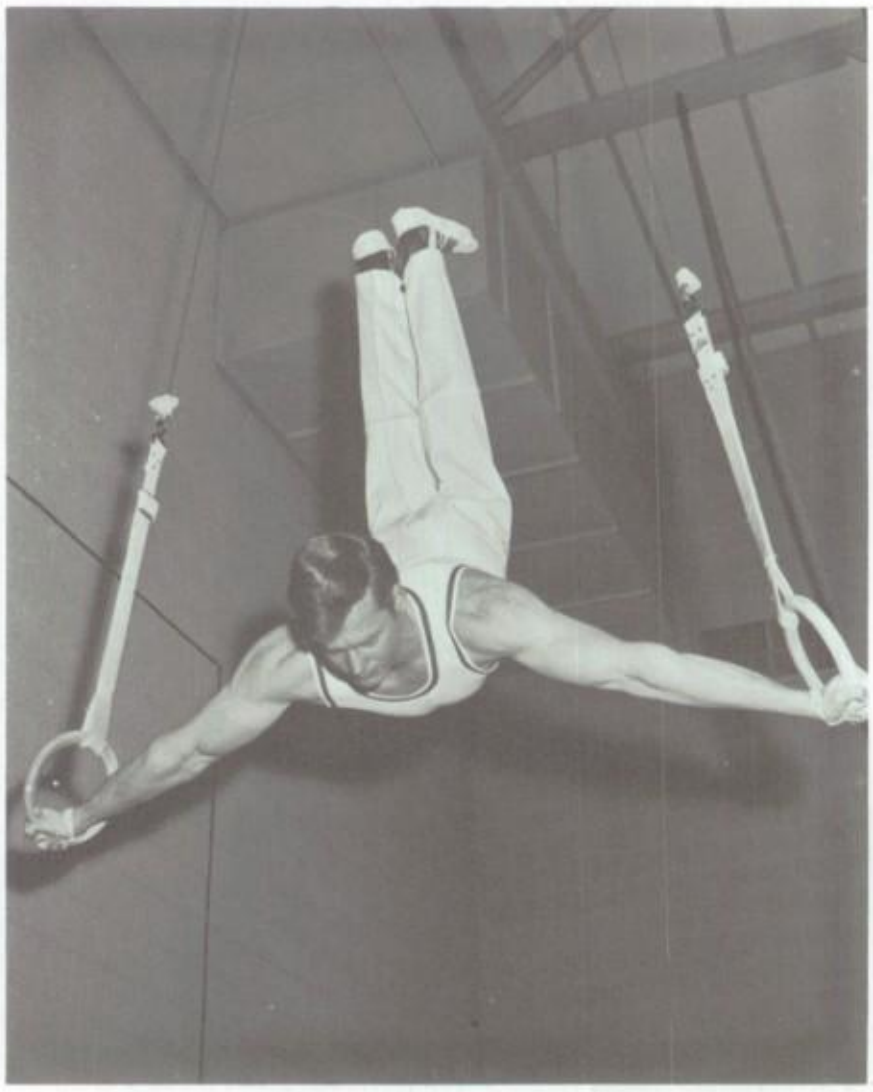
Bird Gymnasts Capture First in Pueblo East Invitational

DESPITE A DISMAL start, the Thunderbird gymnasts of 1967 came through with a winning season. After being beaten four times in dual meets and placing fourth in the Ranum Invitational, the gymnasts won the Pueblo East Invitational. Seemingly encouraged by this excellent showing in Pueblo, Wasson's musclemen went on to win their remaining six dual meets, placing fourth at District and thirteenth at State.

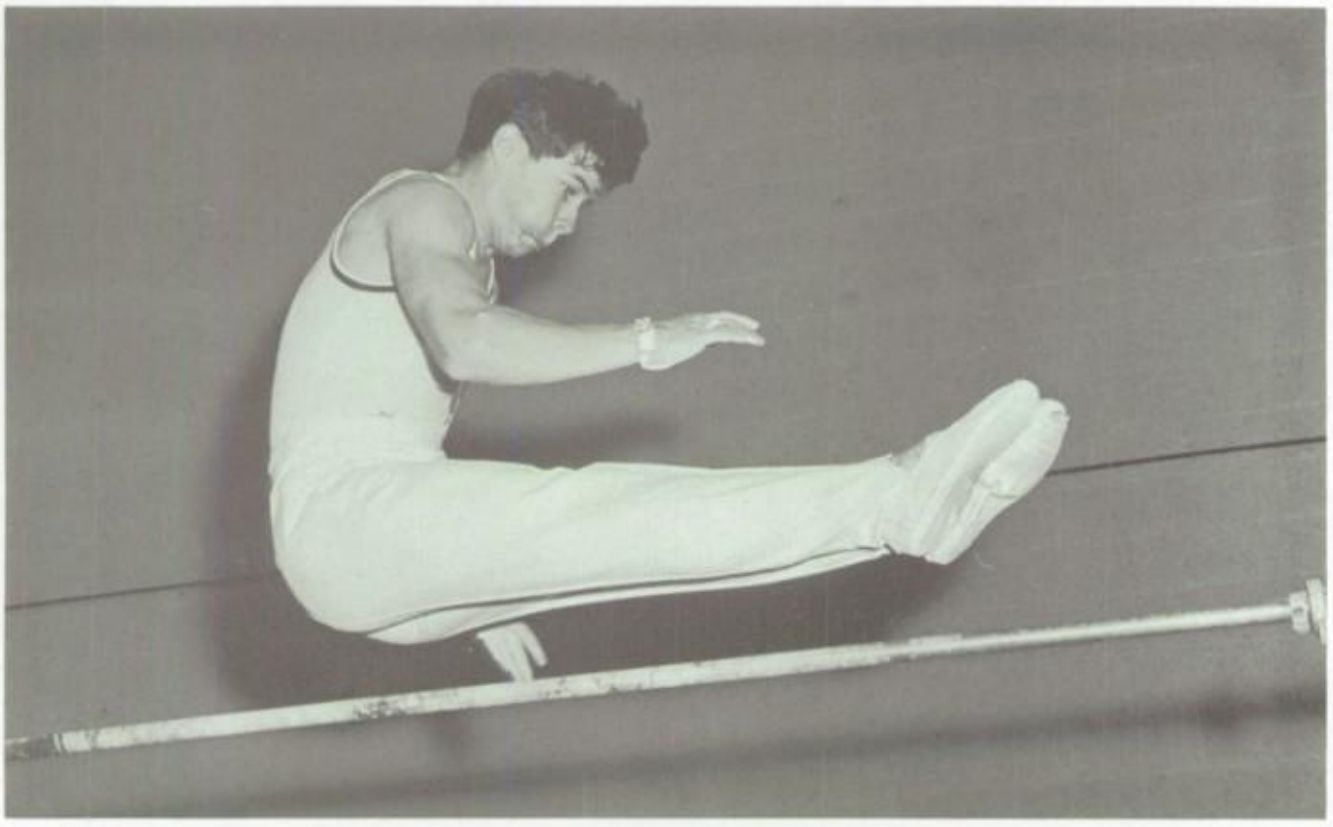
The wins included hair-raisers against East Denver and Wheat Ridge in which the gymnasts won by close margins. This winning determination carried over to victories over traditional rivals Mitchell and Palmer.

Free exercise, high bar, and tumbling were the areas of greatest depth for the gymnasts. John Casey, Steve Hoit, and Barry Johnson were Wasson's best in free exercise, as were Steve Hoit and Rick Patterson on the high bar. Casey, along with Dick Schanberger and Barry Johnson, also shone in tumbling. The other apparatus featured good individuals, but little depth.

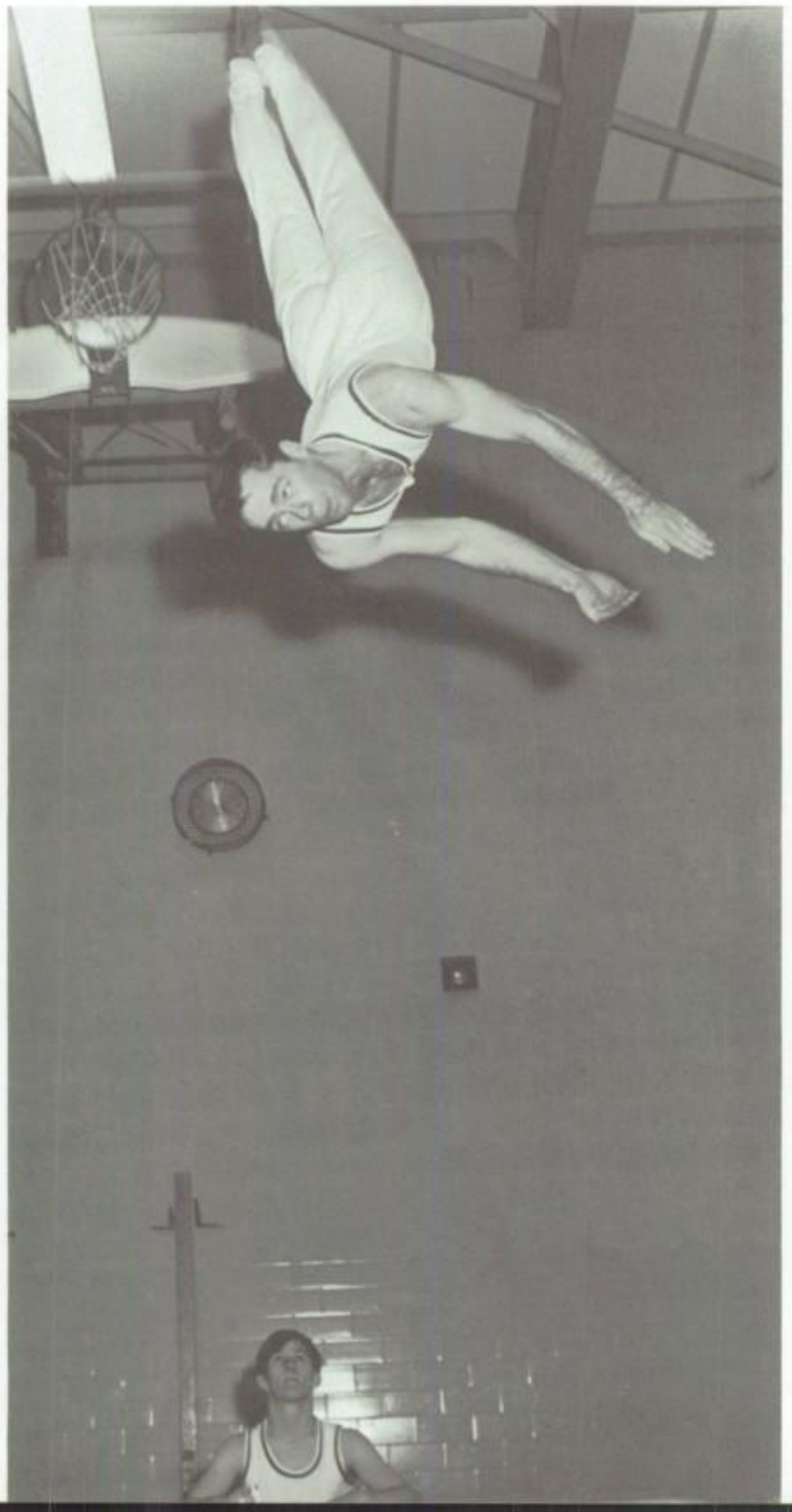
With his muscles bulging and face determined, Taylor Carey lowers to an inverted cross, one of the rings' most difficult tricks.



FRONT ROW: Dennis Schirm, Jim Sullenberger, Dave Robinson, Rick Patterson, Charlie Donalson, Taylor Carey, John Casey, Steve Hoit. ROW TWO: Coach Mike Larsen, Nick Avalos, Jay Zoellner, David Ross, John Bricker, David Hatcher, Mike Delaney, Ken Mills, Larry Gillette. BACK ROW: Jim Noxon, Jim Havens, Don James, Mike liams, Albie Urban, Mike Feller, Dan Burns, Jerry Meadows, Craig Postlewaite. NOT PICTURED: Terry Watson and Dick Schanberger.



Skimming low over the high bar, Rick Patterson is caught at the peak of a difficult flank vault.



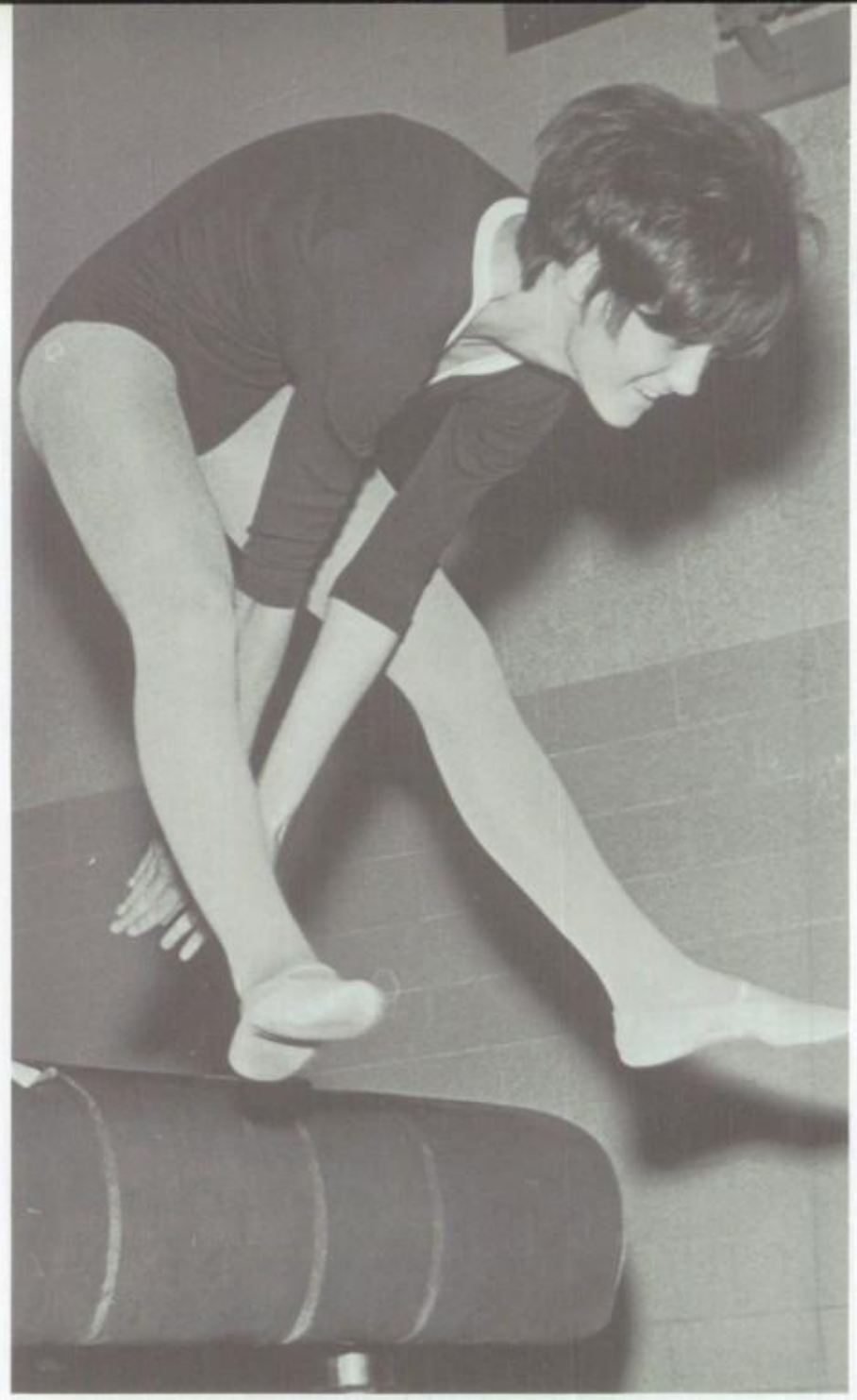
1967 RECORD

Wasson		Opponent
4th	Ranum Invitational	
41	Fairview	87
38	Aurora Central	89
59	Aurora Hinkley	69
61	Ranum	67
1st	Pueblo East Invitational	
67	Palmer	61
79.5	Mitchell	48.5
80	Arvada	48
146.8	East Denver	143.5
66	Wheat Ridge	62
70	South Denver	58
4th	District	
13th	State	

While Rick Patterson spots, John Casey executes a full twisting back flip.

Girl Gymnasts Dominate Regionals and State in '67

AFTER COACHING her girls to thirty-four top honors in the regional and state meets, Mrs. Snyder remarked that the 1967 routines were unquestionably the best to date. After sweeping the regional meet by taking twenty-one out of a possible thirty-two places, the 1967 competitors moved on to the state meet, where they took thirteen medals in the final competition. With many experienced girls returning, the 1968 performances in April promised to reward many girls with high honors. While senior Jeanie DellaCroce and rookie Kathy Osterholt performed on the uneven parallel bars, Dede Connell, Diana Bartley, and Susan Blumenstein bolstered the group with routines in the all-around department. Encouraged by her fellow gymnasts, junior Barb Harrison turned in good performances in the regional and state meets.

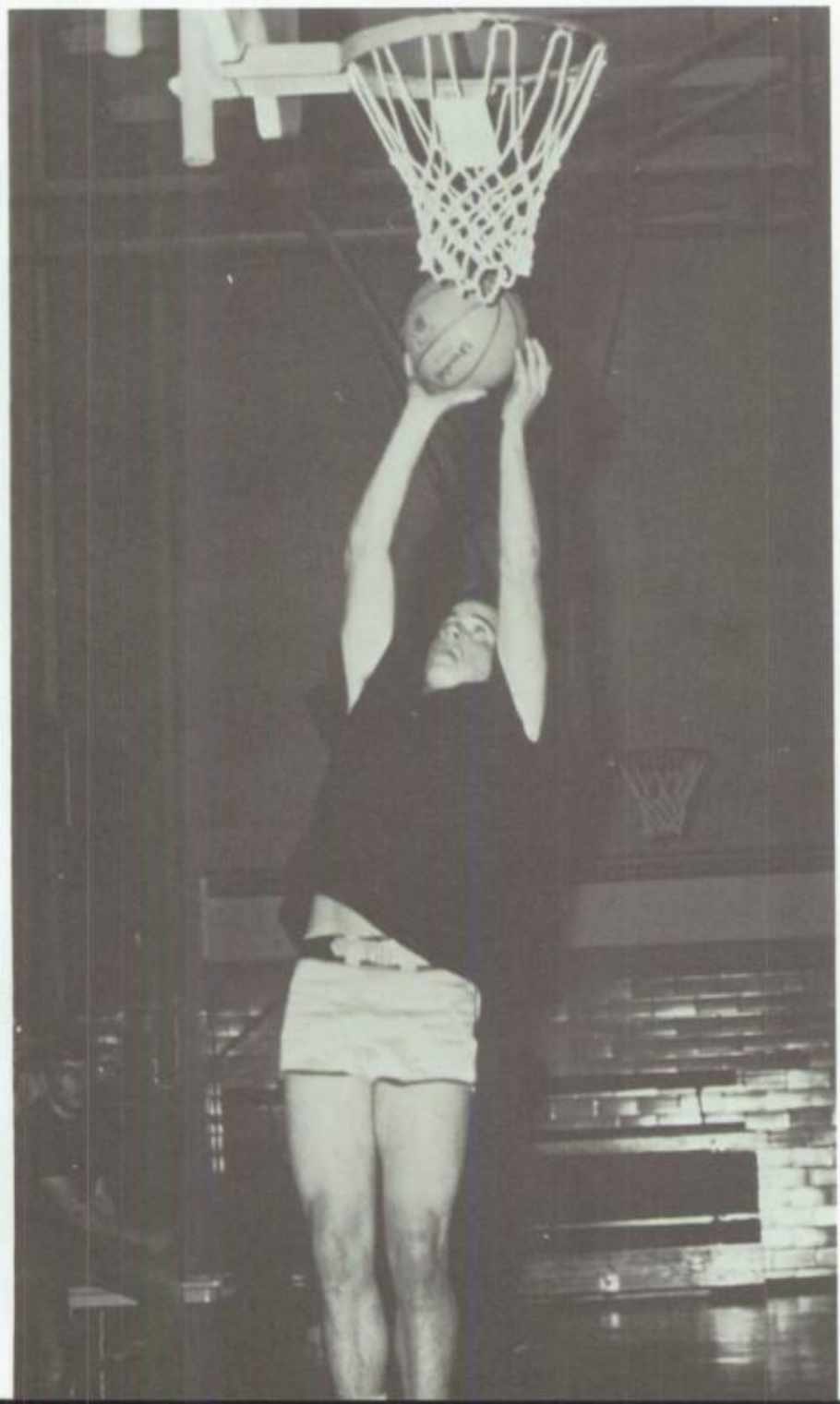


All-around competitor Dede Connell vaults in practicing for future meets.

FRONT ROW: Jeannie DellaCroce, Leonora Karpa, Mikki Andersen, Kathy Valentine, Carol Marander, Lynne Buzbee, Judy Mullins, Rae Nielsen, Bette Blasing, Charleen Kelly, Susan Campbell. ROW TWO: Diana Bartley, Jill Stegner, Kathy Hewitt, Carole Link, Kathy Arnold, Kathy Osterholt, Carolyn Cook, Susie Wilson, Karen Culp, Lou Ann Russell, Barb Harrison. BACK ROW: Dede Connell, Pat Luque, Sandy Davis, Cathi Schanberger, Francie Kraushaar, Nancy Koht, Marsha Lamb, Jayne Seeley, Debbie Williams, Ginny Phillips, Joyce Shelton.

Dust and dirt flies in every direction as speedy softballer Mike Glasser soils home plate in an intramural victory.

One of Moon's "golden pistons," Phil Freeman stretches to excite the crowd.



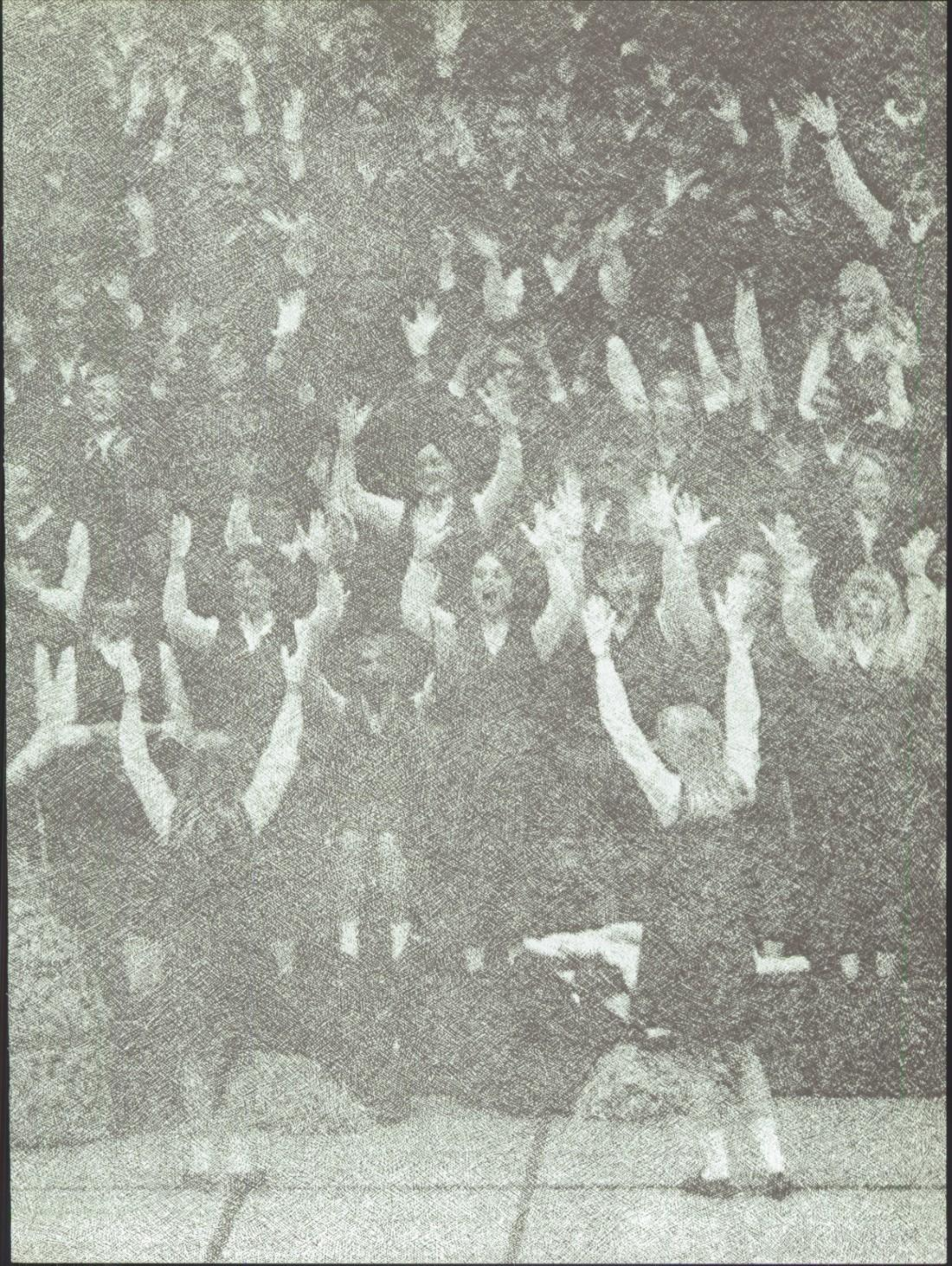
Cagers Return to Intramurals

WITH THE RETURN of basketball as an intramural sport, Wasson's 1967-68 program was improved by offering at least one sport during each season. In early fall the gym facilities were made available to many students interested in such sports as wrestling, handball, volleyball, water polo, basketball, and gymnastics.

Under the supervision of Mr. Norton, the eleven intramural basketball teams provided a winter activity for over seventy-five boys. In addition to high scoring games and accident prone players, there were such descriptive team names as "Mitch Moon and His Detroit Pistons," and "Sonny and the Sharecroppers." Going on to the spring season, Mr. Robinson co-ordinated the softball competition, while Mr. Crider handled the indoor handball tournament.

Organizations

To bring the lone man out of the distant wilds and into the tribal circle from whose center the warm communal fire burns. To accumulate the bits and pieces and thereby do a little something for the whole. The organization is the group of organs which has been organized. Clever, clever, clever. Man is the only organ who can ultimately qualify. Philosophy, philosophy, philosophy. The administrative cabinet. Government by the people. The academic club, the hobby club, the socializing club. The journalism clubs — literary magazine, newspaper, yearbook. Honor clubs, clubs of foresight, and simply club clubs. People, theoretically with common objectives, having come together. Organ, organize, organization. The earth's most gregarious creature displayed before us.



Benson,
Stay a good
head and come
over to my house
sometime. This summer.
when you're in good condition;
or even normal. Unless normal
is regular and regular is good.
Jan

John Casey, president of the student body, guards a courtyard full of inductees during Gleep Week activities.

Framed by a tire from the obstacle course. students dance at the Gleep Leap.

Striking miners invade the cafeteria before the Trinidad basketball game.

The tangible result of "Foil Palmer Week" is shouldered by Charlie Bolte.

Cabinet

MEMBERS OF Cabinet spent more than money in planning and executing this year's myriad of activities. During the summer, parts of the Thunderbird handbook, now called the "T-Bird Tradition," were revised. Plans were made for the Sophomore Orientation, which featured a delightful version of Shakespeare's **Romeo and Juliet,** while "Boot Camp" was chosen for the theme of Gleep Week. A drill team, missions, and an obstacle course created the atmosphere for the sophomores, who were only too happy to be initiated at the Gleep Leap. The Homecoming pageant, highlighted by the finale, and followed by a carnival, was another result of extensive summer planning.

In November a toy drive was launched for Christmas Unlimited, which met a rousing response. Cabinet members contributed to the spirit of Christmas by decorating the main foyer and passing out candy canes in classes.

Throughout the year cafeteria skits were held which, combined with morale boosting days, such as "Sock It To 'Em," contributed much to keeping alive the enthusiasm of the Thunderbirds. Elections, the Inaugural Dinner, and the Inaugural Ball ended the eventful year for Wasson's 1967-1968 Cabinet.

CABINET—FRONT ROW: Soozi Palmer, Lisa Girard, Deborah Sauerhagen, Rick Patterson, Vicki Norris, Trisha Wendt, Charlie Bolte. SECOND ROW: John Casey, Keith Edquist, Cindy Noxon, Toby Kircher.

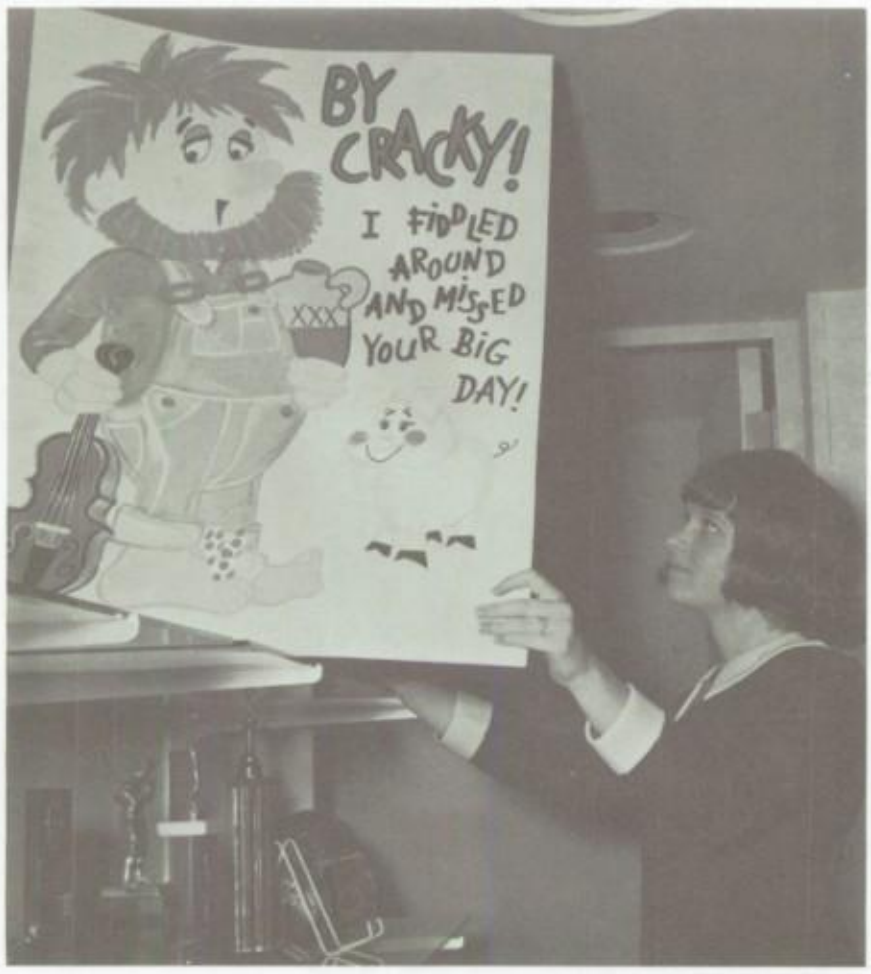
Many hours were spent by the Assemblies Committee in order to present a colorful Homecoming queen assembly.

Assemblies

"WE WANT OUR assemblies to be really entertaining and unique this year." These words served to remind Soozi Palmer, Secretary of Assemblies, the Assemblies Committee, and Mr. Paris, faculty adviser, of the work in store for them. In order to help them accomplish this aim, they invited convicts from the Colorado State Prison, Dr. Fox from Colorado College, the NORAD Cavalcade of Music Band, and Mr. Pearson from Student Government Day. Much advanced planning allowed Wasson students to enjoy lectures and concerts performed by people hightly knowledgeable and talented in their fields.

The Assemblies Committee also was in charge of queen presentation assemblies. Something unusual about the queen presentations initiated this year was that the queen candidates did not use escorts. Instead, full attention was given to the queen candidates themselves.

By keeping a tightly organized schedule, Soozi Palmer, secretary of assemblies, was able to present special and interesting assemblies this year.



Students frequently saw Debbie Sauerhagen, secretary of records, putting up colorful birthday greetings in the second floor showcase.

Records

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY" was heard practically every day of the school year. The Records Committee, under the watchful supervision of Debbie Sauerhagen, Secretary of Records, began an ingenious program of sending a birthday wish to each student on his birthday. The Committee researched during the summer months for students' birthdays, and when school began, the Committee put a giant birthday card in the second floor showcase with the names of the students who had birthdays in June, July, and August. At the beginning of each week, Records Committee revised the list, changed the birthday card in the showcase, and delivered birthday cards to students.

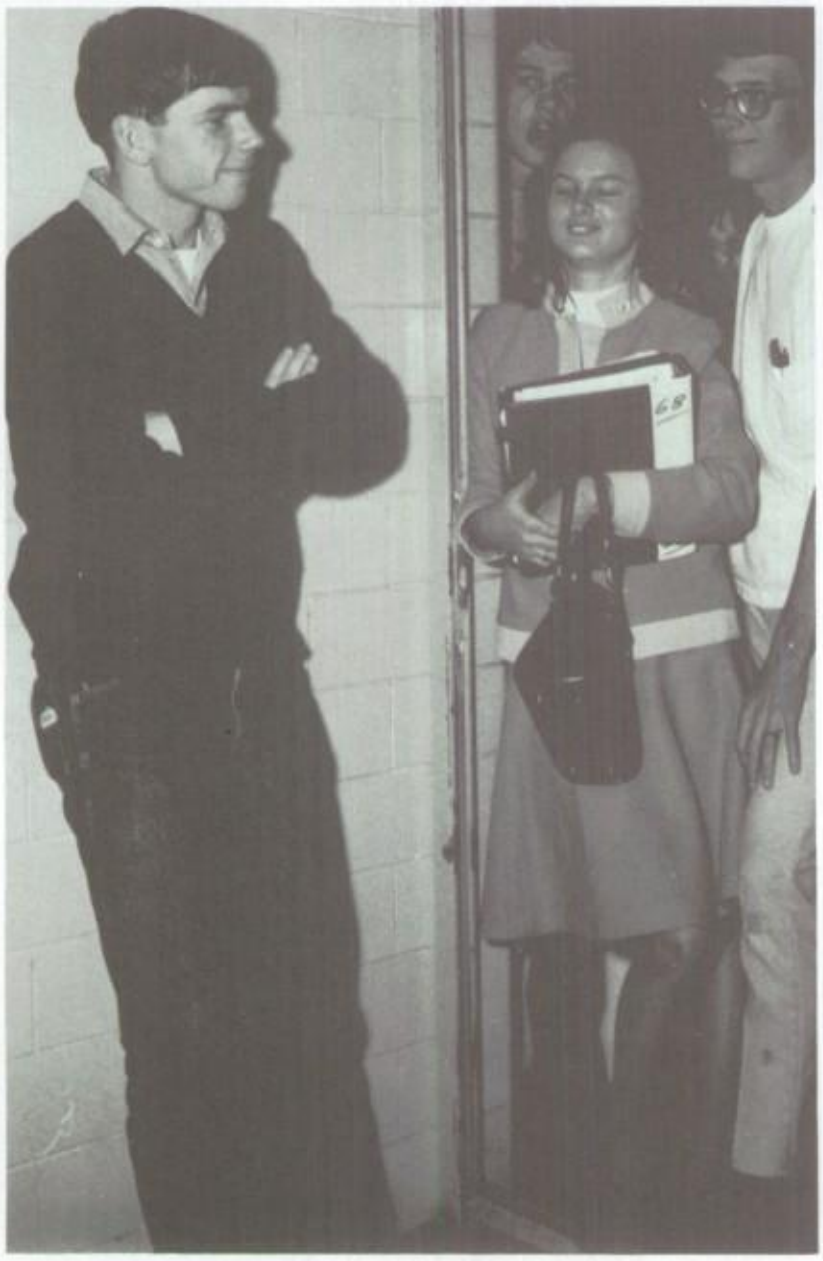
Earlier in the school year, the Records Committee sponsored a program in the cafeteria where students in all three lunch periods could pay a dime for requests and have their favorite tunes played.

RECORDS COMMITTEE—FRONT ROW: Charleen Kelly, Linda Raviotta, Susie Brunk, Debbie Sauerhagen, secretary of records; Nona Lindsey, Tricia Wendt, Mary Pennington. ROW TWO: Reg Jones, Nancy Koht, Lila Rioth, Julie Westerdahl, Sheri Mason, Kathi Tanda, Kathy Prewett, Rhonda Carroll. ROW THREE: Tom Atkinson, Robin Earnest, Debbie Harris, Liz Ordahl, Vicki Fleener, Marsha Lamb, Terry Cisneros, Cindy Peck, Ellen Johnson, Jim Noxon. BACK ROW: Lisa Girard, Cheri Kistler, Judi Gendreizig, Gale Murphy, Melissa Carey, Kathy Beethe, Peggy Long, Sue Koscove, Jayne Seeley.

Safety

WHAT? A COMMITTEE with 1800 members? Well, actually not, but every student at Wasson worked for this committee. Because of a new experimental policy, the Wasson administration turned the job of clean grounds and clear halls over to the student body itself. This change meant that only three hall-guards were necessary throughout the day. The three boys were Gary Hagopian, first period; Bob Lockwood and Bruce Ray, both fourth period. Under the guidance of Mr. Kent Hill, faculty adviser, Secretary of Safety Keith Edquist and his committee, along with the students, kept Wasson safe and sound again this year. The indication is that this policy will be in effect during the 1968-69 school year.

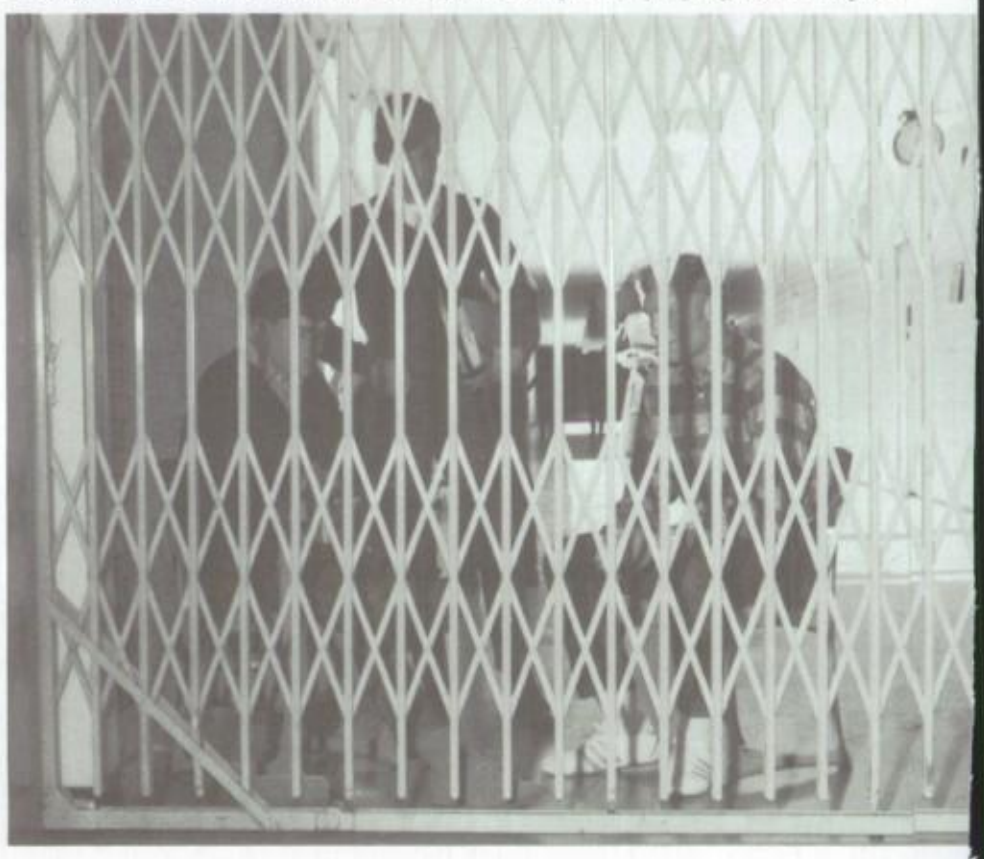
In the spring, Safety Committee planned an assembly featuring a prominent speaker, who addressed the student body on safety on and off the campus. Also planned for the spring was a Road Rally.



Holding back the efforts of several students to enter the halls, hall guard Bruce Ray blocks the gate near the cafeteria after lunch.

SAFETY COMMITTEE-CLOCKWISE: Keith Edquist, secretary of safety; Bob Lockwood, Gary Hagopian, Bruce Ray.

The sight of the hall guards alters any student plans of trying to sneak past.



SOCIAL COMMITTEE — FRONT ROW: Lisa Girard, Vicki Norris, Cathy Thomas, Bette Blasing, Mary Ann McCarty, Tricia Wendt, secretary of social; Rhonda Cowan, Kay Turnbaugh, Pam Redding, Lila Rioth, Eugenia Lee. ROW TWO: Marlene Rataczak, Darcy Kennedy, Linda Raviotta, Linda Niswonger, Rhonda Carroll, Sharon Fowler, Christy Belcher, Terri Westerdahl, Connie Harper, Jayne Seeley, Marsha Lamb, Nancy Koht, Judy Miles, Charleen Kelly, Lana Daniels, Debbie Restivo, Sheryl Tyler, Barb Sullins, Jackie Depew. ROW THREE: Tom Atkinson, Eileen Ross, Cindy Peck, Reg Jones, Sheri Mason, Barb Harrison, Debbie Williams. Jan Sunstrum, Debbie Davidson, Sally Casey, Polly Gourley, Terri Cisneros, Marie Wright, Jamie Damico, Lynn Young, Kathi Geneste, Barbara Krueger, Sandy Selby. ROW FOUR: Richard Yandell, Julie Westerdahl, Lynn Ceuleers, Vic Buffetti, Diane Baily, Glenda Sandberg, Steve Steiner, Steve Benson, Kathi Tanda. Nona Lindsey, Kathy Prewett, Kathy Beethe, Mary Crow. Gail Barnes, Kris Berkeland, Rich Kargard. BACK ROW: Chuck Nevius, Judi Peake, Deanne Foster, Karen Reuter, Rita Rose, Carl Lansing, John Reed, John Boyles, R. J. Davis, Kathy Claassen, Paula Tomhave, Judi Gendreizig, Melissa Carey, Linda Simpson.

Working with skill and determination. Social Committee member Mary Christman decorates for the Homecoming Dance, "Distant Dreams."

Social

LONG HOURS AND hard labor by the members of Social Committee yielded unique and interesting effects at the five major school dances throughout the 1967-68 school year. Under the direction of Secretary of Social Tricia Wendt, this year's committee came up with varied ideas previously unused by any Social Committees of the past.

"Reveille," the 1967 Gleep Leap, featured an obstacle course for the new Gleeps, thus carrying out the military theme of the dance. The Homecoming Dance, "Distant Dreams," was highlighted by the dome-covered throne. The annual Sno-Ball dance, "Fantasy in Frost," effectively gave the illusion of a winter wonderland.

Will Ed
have fun next
year in college what
a GAB both.
Well have a great summer
and many moons to come.
Kelly
Shutts

COURTESY COMMITTEE — FRONT ROW: Deanne Foster, Bridget Cononly, Vicki Norris, secretary of courtesy; W. L. Whaley, Susan Switzer, Judi Gendreizig. BACK ROW: Barb Eckley, Sherry Butler, Doris Holcomb, Barbara Alleman, Tricia Wendt, Sheri Mason, Julie Westerdahl.

Courtesy

WELCOMING NEW sophomores, Vicki Norris, secretary of courtesy, held a reception assembly with Pep Club members serving punch afterwards. Her committee also hosted a successful reception for Wasson alumni during Homecoming Week. The committee's largest activity this year was the Christmas hall decorations, traditionally sponsored by only the three classes. Vicki changed the procedure this year by adding faculty, Pep Club, ICC, Fine Arts, and Cabinet to the list of groups decorating the halls. The committee did the basement and stairways. Other duties of Courtesy Committee included the sending of sympathy and get well cards to students. Vicki also planned a courtesy dance, which was held second semester.

Sympathy cards and get-well cards are handwritten and sent to Thunderbirds as a friendly gesture from Wasson by Vicki and Courtesy.

Decking the halls with boughs of paper, Courtesy begins decorating for Christmas.

Publicity requires skill, as Cindy demonstrates with silk screen.

Publicity

"WE ARE REALLY stressing originality in our posters." This was the motto of publicity committee, led by Cindy Noxon, secretary of publicity. Persons wandering through the halls noticed the unique and varied array of informative posters announcing sports events, dances, and other Wasson activities. Cindy also arranged many interesting and attractive showcases. Her other duties included P.A. announcements, radio and T.V. advertising of school activities, and the making of baldrics for queen candidates.

Publicity committee moved out of the art room and into a new room of their own this year, thus leading to better organization and greater efficiency. To promote morale a class competition poster contest was held second semester to determine which class could create the best and most original poster.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE — FRONT ROW: Paul M. Oelrich, Dave McNeilly, Lila Rioth, Cindy Noxon, secretary of publicity; Reg Jones, Rich Kargard, Brad Ayler. ROW TWO: Tom Atkinson, Dennis Hurst, Kay Turnbaugh, Cindy Heyse, Kathy Kizk, Marie Gonzales, Debbie Plowman, Nita Ivey, Kim Christian, Sonja Punmire, Sherry Butler. ROW THREE: Ken Day, Eugenia Lee, Judy Finlayson, Becky Mullison, Sue Wright, Claudia Isley, Sue Stone, Jamie Damico, Jack Lobato, Eric Bogren. ROW FOUR: Robert Hiltner, Dale Isley, Cathy Thomas, Pat Litchfield, Ladd Hiatt, Jerri Johnson, Sue Bryan, Chrissy Johnson, Mary Karper. BACK ROW: Deanne Foster. Debbie Wise. Susan Dopp, Dana Davidson, Nancy Miller, Susan Hast, Gail Hicks, Sharlene Hast.

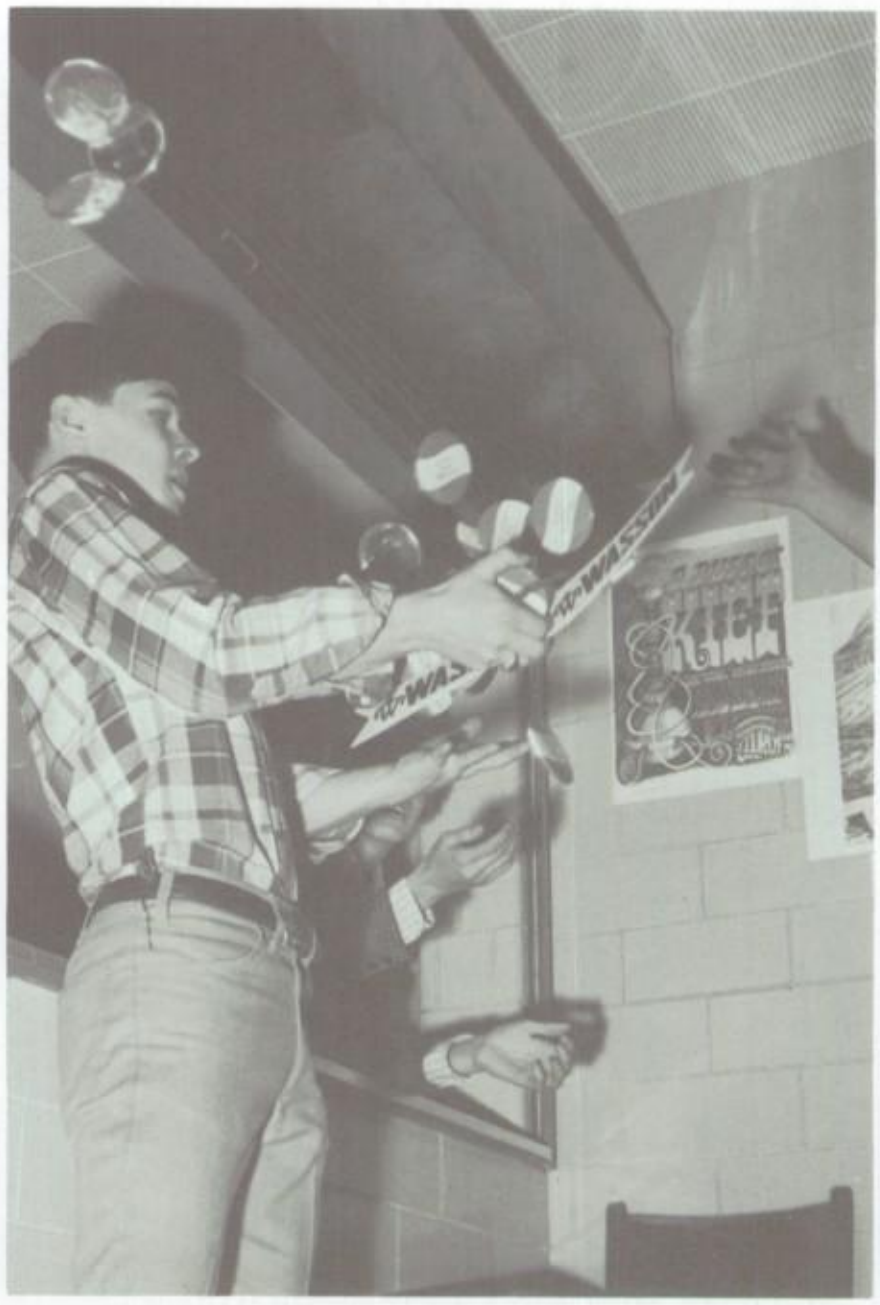
Treasury

VARIETY IS the spice of life. Wasson's own synonym for variety was the Cubbyhole, which provided students with a wide assortment of salables, ranging from troll dolls to booster buttons. Among the new items introduced by Treasury Committee were class T-shirts and tie tacs.

A face-lifting operation transformed the everyday appearance of what was formerly known as Benson and Brothers on the corner of John and Gym to a unique shop with a psychedelic decor.

Branching out to the morale aspect of student life, the committee also sponsored sales of candy corn to help "Harvest the Farmers," licorice rope to "Trip the Tribe," and chocolate footballs to "Ground the Flyers." Proceeds from all Treasury Committee sales were spent for the Christmas tree, records, decorations, and bills incurred by the Student Organization.

John VanDerWege gives his sales pitch to enthusiastic customers.



The recipient of a fresh supply of booster buttons is Rick Patterson.

TREASURY COMMITTEE — FRONT ROW: Jo Ann Smith, Rick Patterson, secretary of treasury; Robin Earnest, Tom Atkinson. BACK ROW: Kent Kraft, Sally Casey, John VanDerWege, Mary Ann McCarty, Robert Hiltner.

Morale

THE SKY WAS the limit this year for Morale Committee, headed by Charlie Bolte, which did, indeed, feature skyline cheerleaders in one of many high-spirited pep assemblies.

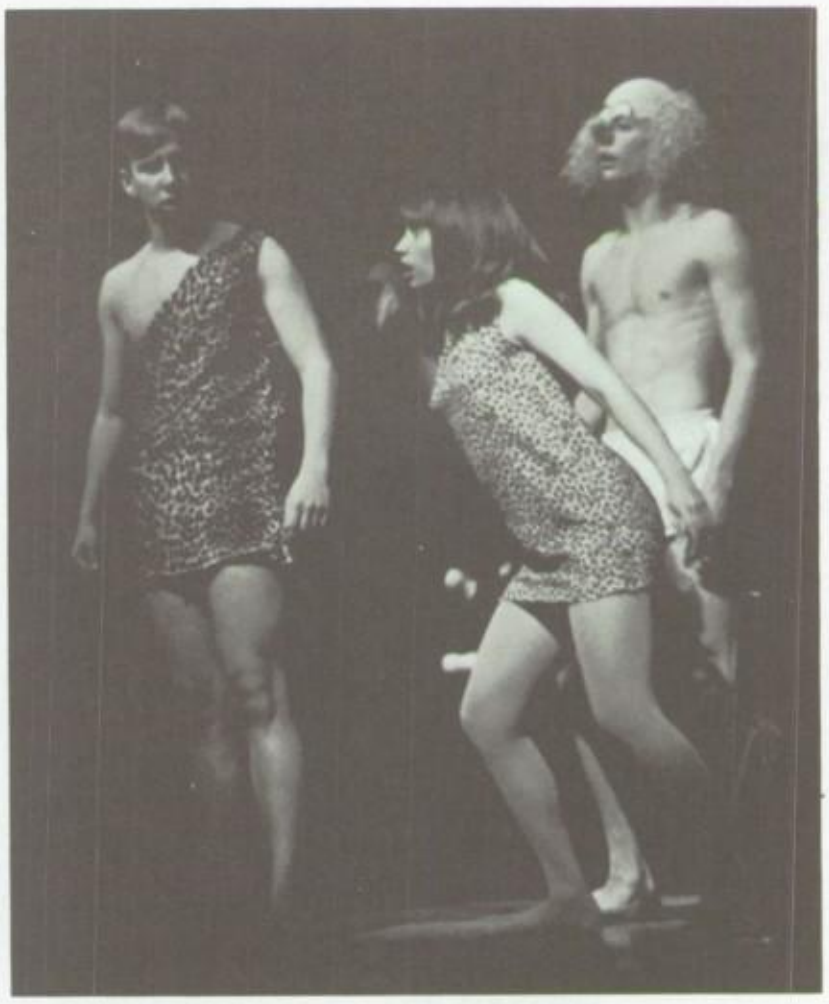
Famous personalities such as Annie Oakley and Napoleon, along with the one and only Tommy T-bird and his newly acquired voice box, added to the spirit throughout the year.

Besides the assemblies held in the auditorium, some were held outdoors on the patio, thus offering the Thunderbelles and band a bigger part to play in boosting the school morale.

"Muzzle the Bulldogs," "Ground the Flyers," and "Whip the Wildcats" were a few of the slogans adopted by committee members which were combined with a high-flying victory flag to keep enthusiasm alive. Two novel ideas were a card section initiated by Pep Club, and a snake line, held before the ninth annual game with Palmer.

Discussing winning strategy is Annie Oakley, portrayed by Cindy Noxor

Using Robin (Roger Beach) as a battering ram, Batman, alias Steve Hughes, and Gary Jordan try to break through the Palmer line of scrimmage.



"Jane" (Kathy Doane) convinces the audience of the Tribe's arrival.

General Assembly

FROM AN ASSEMBLY at which Tarzan and Jane were present, to the sale of the Wasson telephone directory, **The Bird Call,** the 1967-'68 General Assembly kept the student body entertained and informed throughout the school year.

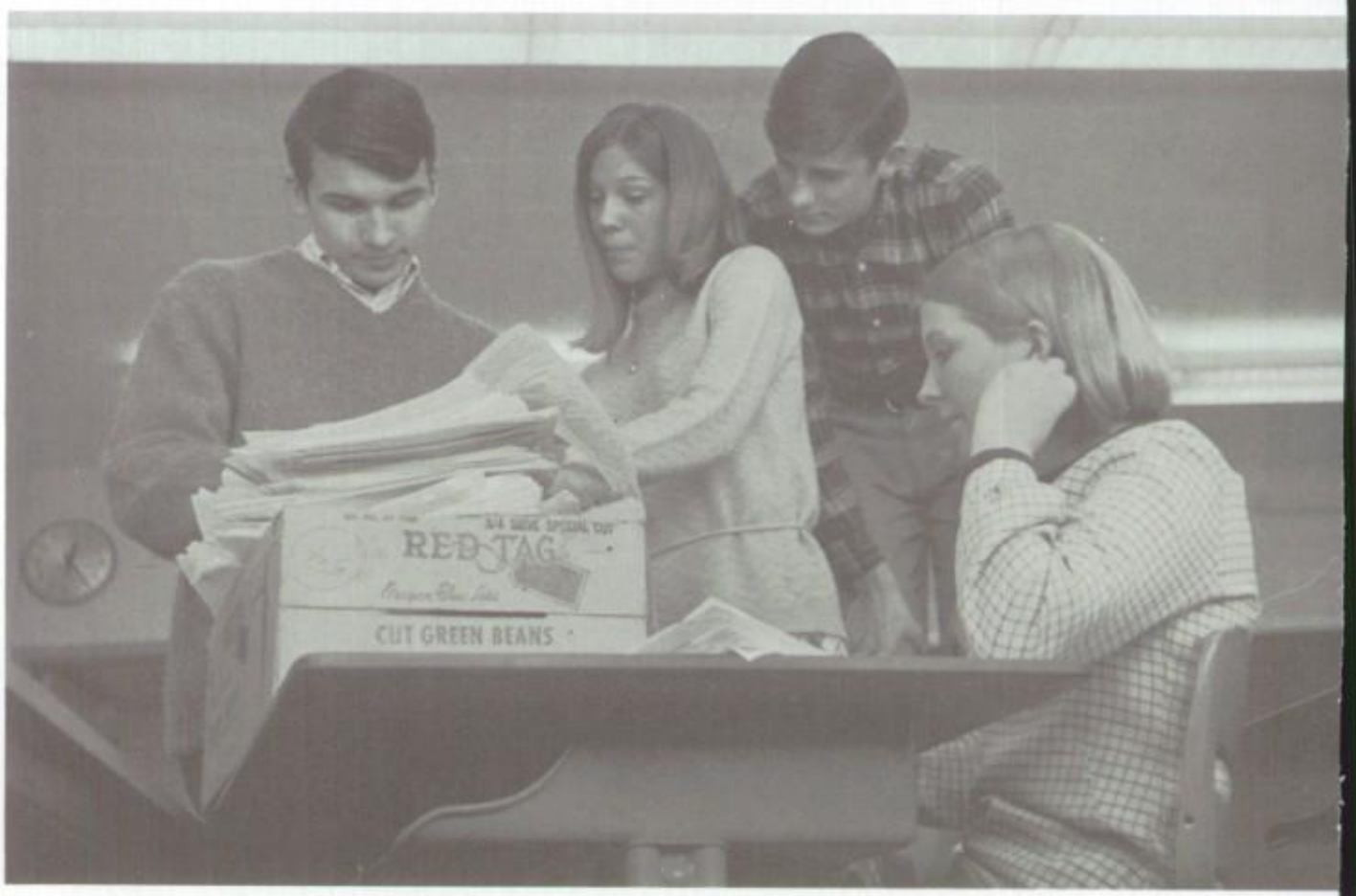
General Assembly started the new year by sponsoring sock hops and the annual Student Council dance. Ideas considered for the latter part of the year were a service project for the community, a student exchange with another school in the state, a faculty symposium on provocative topics, and an art and hobby show.

Under the chairmanship of Toby Kircher, the members attended leadership meetings at which prominent Colorado Springs citizens, including Mayor McCleary, spoke.

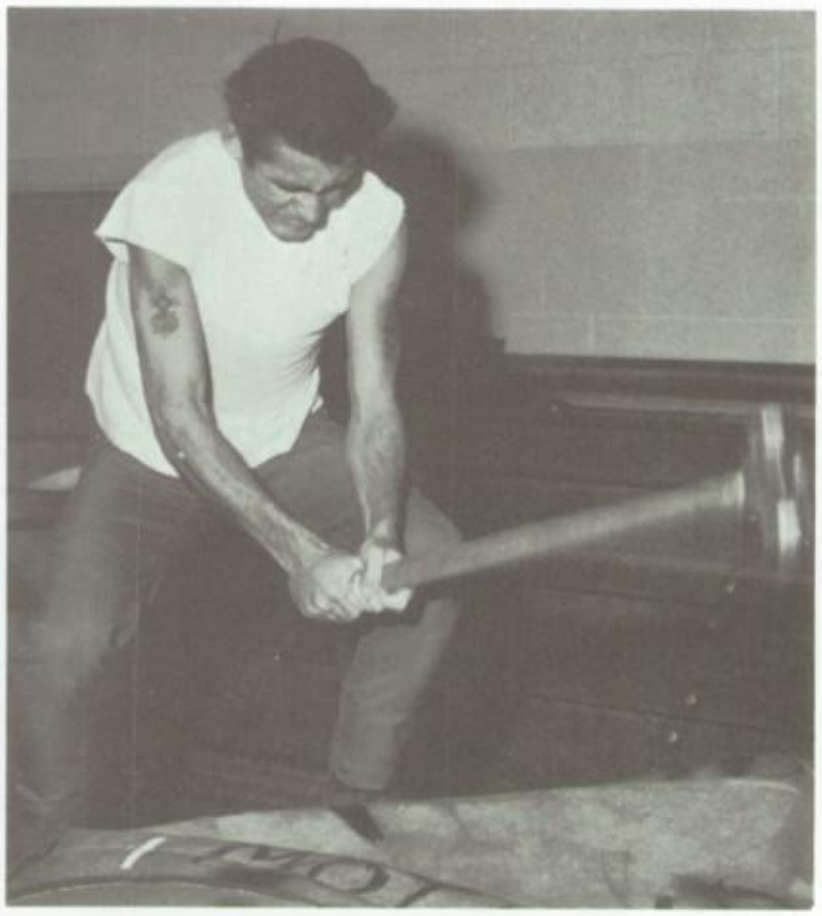
The members were elected in the spring of last year after interested students attended a primary meeting. These people were then voted on to narrow the field of candidates to fifteen. These fifteen students then spoke to their classmates, and the ten class representatives were elected.

Initiation of members took place at General Assembly's installation.

Preparing questionnaires for ***students*** *are Steve Steiner, Judi Gendreizig, Toby Kircher, and Julie Westerdahl.*

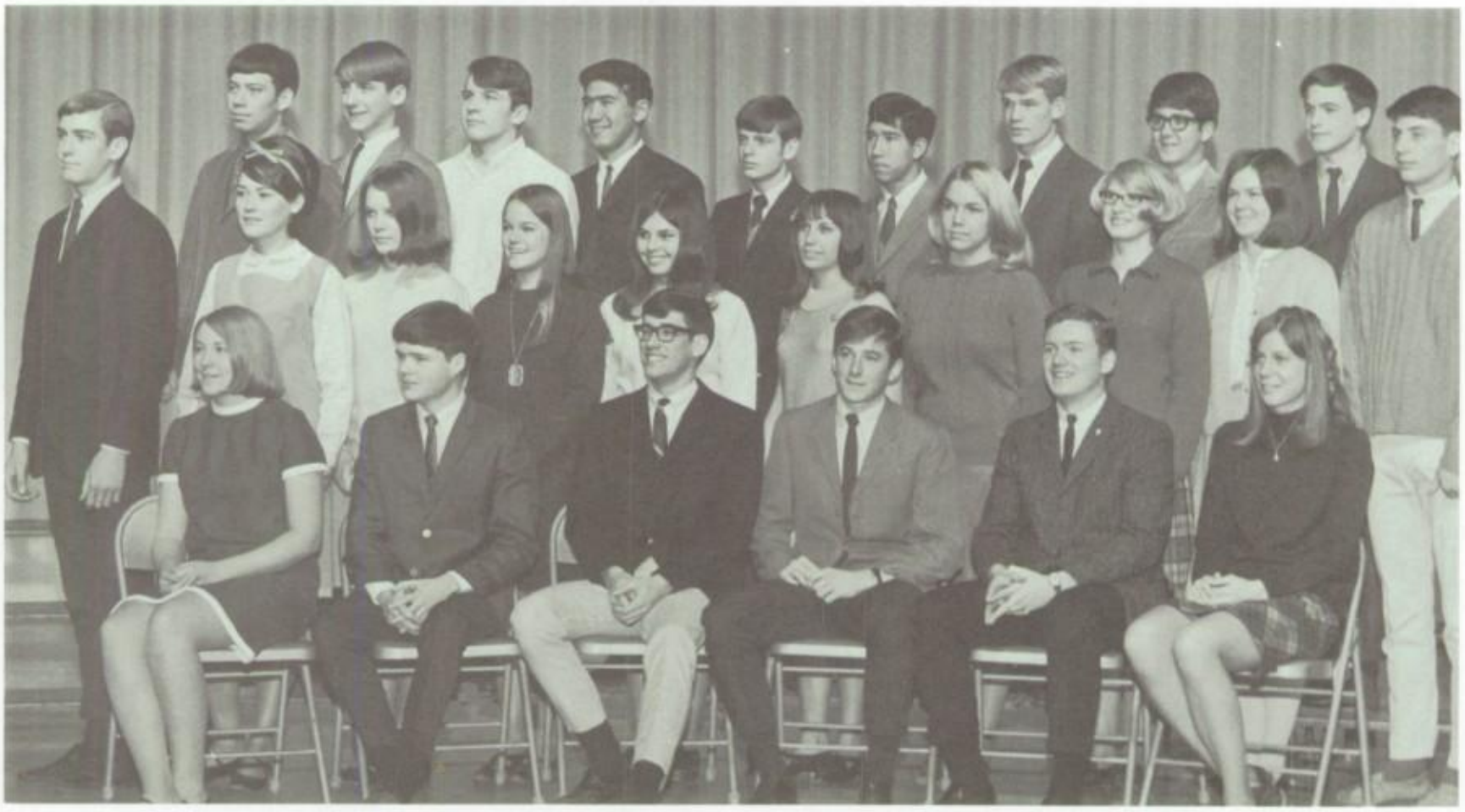


John Knippers, Trisha Wasson, and Chuck Nevius make a Bird Call sale.



Straining and striking, Don Carlson smashes a car at Homecoming.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY—FRONT ROW: Julie Westerdahl, recording secretary; Roger Beach, sophomore president; Chuck Nevius, senior president; Toby Kircher, chairman; John Knippers, junior president; Judi Gendreizig, corresponding secretary. ROW TWO: Ken Brown, Lila Rioth, Mary Ann McCarty, Marcia Tewell, Terry Cisneros, Kathy Doane, Jane Anderson, Chrissy Johnson, Carol Blumenstein, Doug Spears, junior vice-president. BACK ROW: Gary Doane, Ron Winne, Steve Steiner, Tony Duarte, Larry Glasser, sophomore vice-president; Bernie Duarte, Steve Hughes, Bob Wheeler, Milo Bolender. NOT PICTURED: Darcy Kennedy, Rick Lohman, Janette Pairo, Rocky Whitworth, Clay Williams, senior vice-president.



INTER-CLUB COUNCIL — FRONT ROW: Rich Kargard, Judy Schmitz, Debbie Wunder, secretary; Lisa Girard, president; Kris Berkeland, Pam Redding, Gary Hotchkiss. BACK ROW: Barb Stone, Jo Harmon, Randy McAdam, Mark Stephens, Mark Finlayson, Barry McWilliams, Dorothea Slater, Jan Keplinger, Ruth Keiderling.

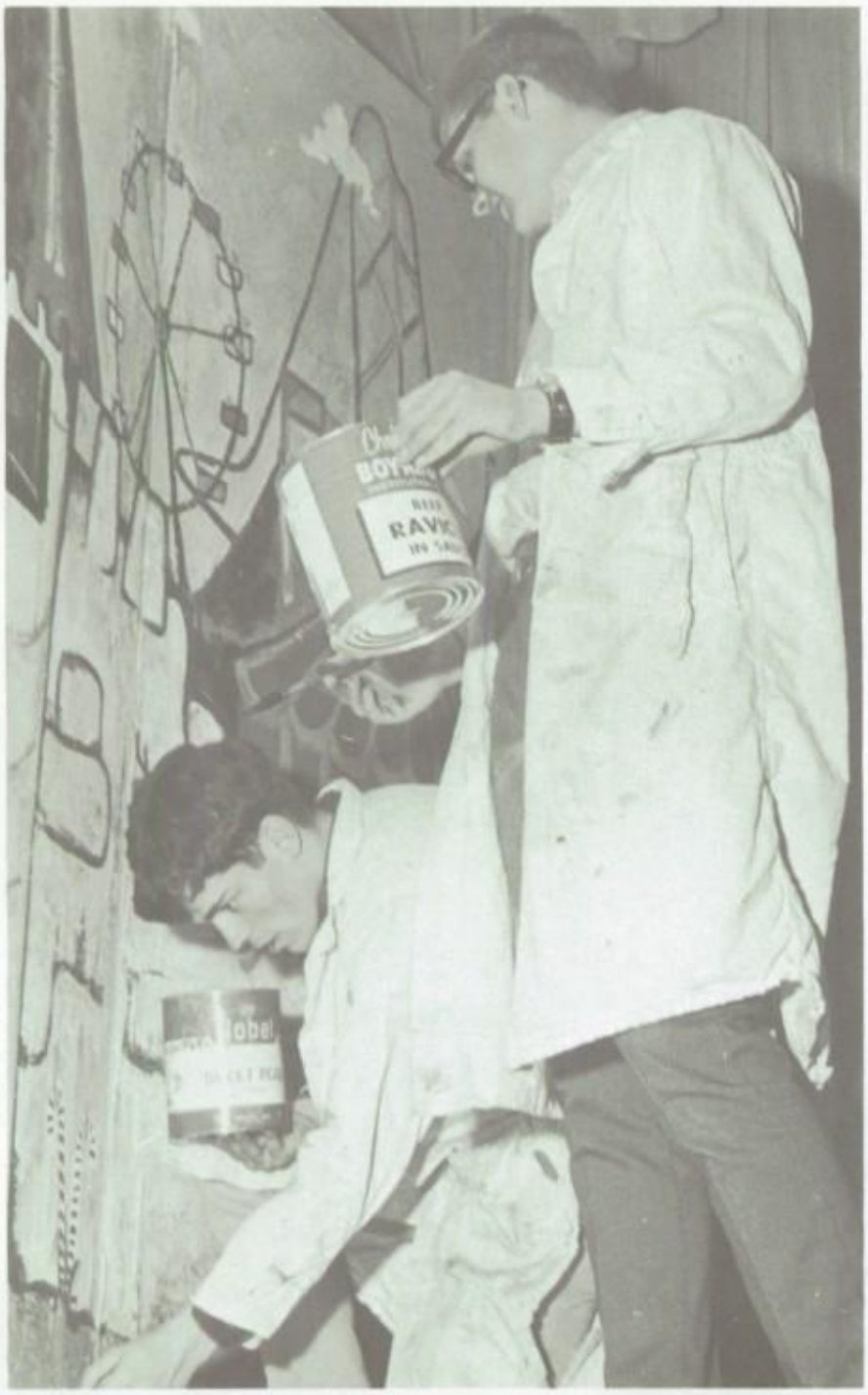
Inter-Club Council

TO GIVE EACH organization a say in the activities of student government was the express purpose of Inter-Club Council. This purpose was given a good start toward fulfillment with a series of firsts. The Homecoming Carnival, "It's A Small World", organized by I.C.C., saw Student Council, Cabinet, the Foods Department and the band having booths for the first time. In November, the council held a charter-signing ceremony in which sixteen clubs formally signed their charters, thus making each a recognized organization.

I.C.C. also made changes in the annual Teacher Appreciation Day activities. The teachers were presented with boutonnieres or corsages and apples, and instead of having the whole day taught by students, one period was considered Teacher Appreciation Period, with students teaching every third hour class. I.C.C. worked with Future Teachers of America in having the students as teachers.

As part of their regular duties, each month the members of I.C.C. chose one senior girl and one senior boy involved in committees or some phase of school life to reign as senior sovereigns, and in the spring chose as "Club of the Year" one club which proved most outstanding in its service to school and community.

Lisa Girard, of Inter-Club Council, receives valuable help from John Knippers setting up the Homecoming Carnival, "It's a Small World."



Putting final touches on scenery for Thespians' production of **Pinocchio** *are stage crew members Chuck Donalson and Gary Hughes.*

Thespians

CONTINUING IN THE manner that has won them the title of "Best Club of the Year" for two years in a row, Thespians initiated new ideas and revived old traditions. For the first time in Wasson's history, the Thespians presented during the fall a melodrama entitled **Only An Orphan Girl** in which added attractions, olio acts, were presented between scenes. **The Littlest Angel** which was a traditional part of the Christmas activities at Wasson until 1965, was revived and presented, with the help of Mrs. Paris, as part of the Christmas program.

After the Christmas season, Thespians' attention turned to the student production of **Pinocchio.** Under the student direction of Sue Throckmorton, the all-girl cast presented the play to various elementary schools. The lively scenery for **Pinocchio** was done by the advanced art classes.

These three productions, plus a spring play, enabled interested students to earn points toward membership in Footlighters or Thespians. These students gained experience in presenting drama and learning the aspects of theatrical production — costumes, props, scenery, and dramatization.

THESPIANS—FRONT ROW: Debbie Norris, treasurer; Connie Gelvin, vice-president; Carol Ciavonne, president; Liz Oldahl, secretary; George Lenz, point recorder; Cathy Strand. ROW TWO: Patty Rauch, Jan Beardsley, Jackie Haines, Karen Culp, Tina Cervantees, Chari Greenfield, Susan Benedict, Marcy Huffman, Linda Petty, Jeanie Donahue. BACK ROW: Mr. Paris, sponsor; Charles Donalson, Debbie Belgum, Frances Kraushaar, Larry Ausec, Dave Melanson, John Knippers.

A-Squad Cheerleaders

"PEP, PEP, LOTS of pep!" exemplified perfectly the five A-Squad cheerleaders for the 1967-68 school year. The five girls were Sally Casey, Robin Earnest, Paula Tomhave, Jan Wilson, and Marie Wright, head cheerleader. It was the duty of these girls to cheer at all varsity sport events and pep assemblies, and to spark enthusiasm in the student body. The cheerleaders were chosen at the end of last year after attending cheer clinics at which cheers and basic techniques were taught. Following try-outs before a panel of judges, ten semi-finalists were chosen to perform in an assembly before the entire student body.

For the first time since Wasson opened, a new uniform was designed. The outfit was a red wide pleated skirt with grey inpleats, and a red sweater with two grey stripes around the neck, waist, and sleeves.

Marie Wright, head cheerleader

The A-Squad cheerleaders: Robin Earnest, Paula Tomhave, Marie Wright, head cheerleader; Jan Wilson, and Sally Casey

Paula Tomhave

Jan Wilson

Robin Earnest

Sally Casey

B-Squad Cheerleaders

MANY NEW CHEERS, performed by the B-Squad cheerleaders, raised the Wasson school spirit at the sports events throughout the school year. Carol Link, head cheerleader; Mikki Anderson, Lou Anna McClain, Kathy Osterholt, Mary Williams, and Wendy Wright gave morale boosts to the junior varsity, varsity, and B-Squad teams.

Besides having new cheers, the B-Squad cheerleaders obtained new uniforms consisting of red pleated skirts and grey sweaters.

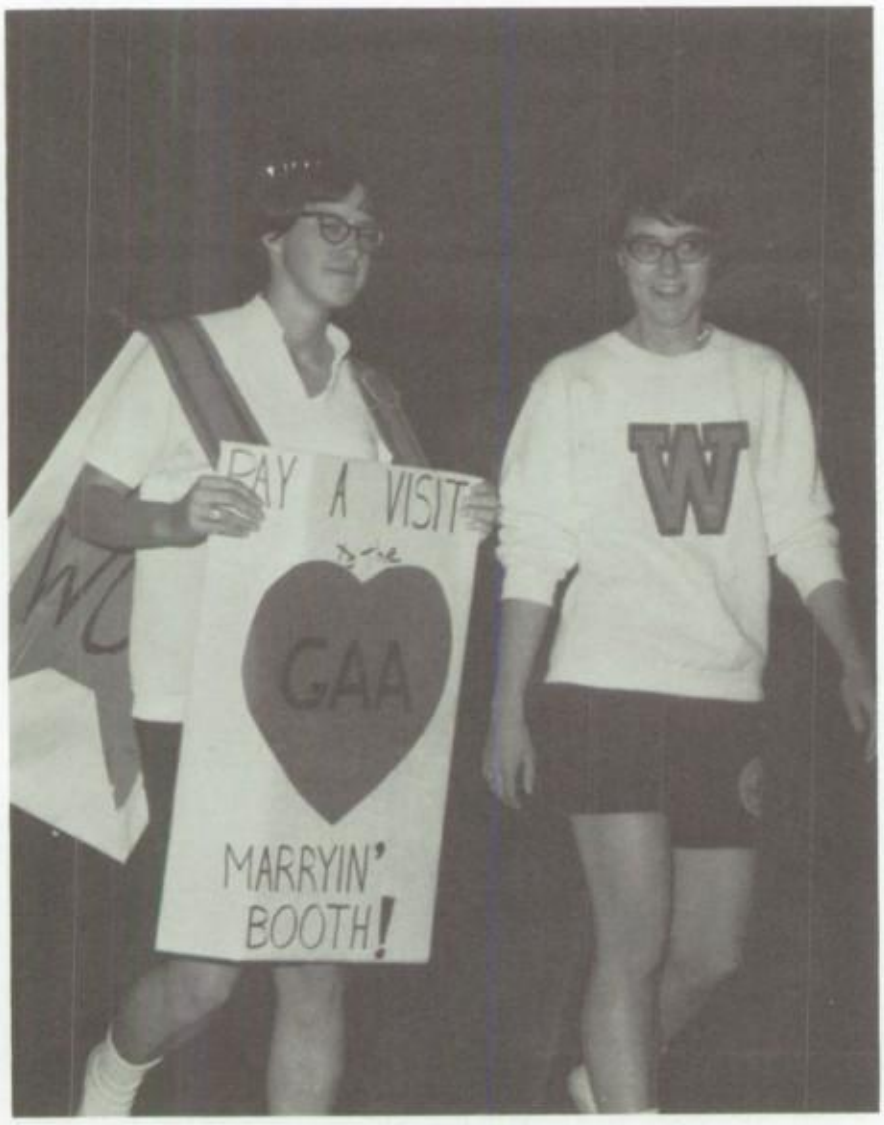
In April, 1967, over one hundred girls tried out for the position of cheerleader. The sophomores who made it were Mikki, Kathy, and Wendy; and the juniors who made it were Carol, Lou Anna, and Mary.

B-SQUAD CHEERLEADERS — TOP TO BOTTOM: Mary Williams, Kathy Osterholt, Wendy Wright, Lou Anna McClain, Mikki Anderson; Carol Link, head cheerleader.

At a Wasson Junior Varsity game, the B-Squad cheerleaders encourage spirit from the Pep Club.

G.A.A.—FRONT ROW: Miss Jones, sponsor; Brenda Hoke, president; Dorothea Slater, vice president; Marcia Beals, secretary; Glendy Smith, treasurer. SECOND ROW: Pat Brown, Janice Roth, Carol Arndt, Mary Kupfer Mary Sue Urbina, Michele Baird, Kitty Zell. BACK ROW: Kathy Jensen, Betty Cole, Jane Allen, Marilyn Bell, Bridget Connolly, Genie Heppner, Kay Nielson, Linda Simpson.

Proving that advertising works, Kitty Zell and Brenda Hoke, president, attract many Wasson students to the G.A.A. Homecoming marriage booth.



G.A.A.

MEMBERS OF THE Girls' Athletic Association of Farmington, New Mexico, came to Wasson High School for a sports playday in January. They enjoyed competition with Wasson girls in gymnastics, basketball, and swimming.

Another new aspect of G.A.A. was the playing of round robin games in soccer, basketball, and softball with seven area schools.

There were also many other activities planned for the rest of the school year. G.A.A. held bake sales, a get-acquainted picnic, a picnic for graduating senior members, and a marriage booth at the Homecoming Carnival.

Debbie Flanders sells candy-filled puppets for the Kidney Fund.

T-Birds pour through Pep Club's frame and funnel toward victory.

Marsha Fisher, vice-president, and Karen Reuter, president, show differences between the old and new uniforms to Tommy T-Bird, Bob Hiltner.

Suddenly Wasson's thunderbird flashes toward the field, shimmering in hope and pride as the card section displays spirit at half-time shows.

"HEY BABY!" The Sadie Hawkins dance swings with the Boenzee Cryque.

Wagions

A NEW LOOK was introduced into Wagions during the 1967-1968 school year. To start this wave of modernization, the uniform was completely restyled, using original design of Wasson students. A fall picnic held in the stadium sparked interest among members. A first among state high schools, the club's first experiences with a card section enthusiastically displayed artistic ability. Red, white, brown, and blue cards were used to make such formations as a Wasson Thunderbird, a psychedelic spiral, "hi," and a Wasson "W." The section effectively high-lighted half-time shows.

Active as always, Wagions planned several activities, such as selling candy for the Kidney Foundation. High morale and a sense of humor during the Pep Club assembly helped create the proper mood for the Wheatridge football game. After the Wheatridge game, the Pep Club sponsored a Sadie Hawkins dance which featured the Boenzee Cryque. Strong class competition, spirit, and fun dominated the Powder Puff basketball game, held in early December. The officers of the Wagions sought to improve relations between schools through inter-school pep club officer meetings.

Thunder-Belles

IN THEIR THIRD year of being the only pompon drill team of their kind in the state, the Thunder-Belles continued to boost school spirit and serve their community. Under the new co-sponsorship of Miss Knight and Miss Rotthaus, the Thunder-Belles performed in parades, at football and basketball halftimes, and for the P.T.A.

During the summer months, the student leaders, Jo Ann Hoit and Dede Connell, organized the team and held practices for the Pikes Peak or Bust Rodeo Parade and the Colorado State Fair Parade. In the fall, the T-Belles raised money for the football team by selling season tickets, and by selling Halloween candy in order to buy props for their own use. Besides being a regular feature at football halftimes, the T-Belles performed at two basketball games. Wasson fans saw the Thunder-Belle interpretations of "Music To Watch Girls By" and "Saturday Night at the Movies."

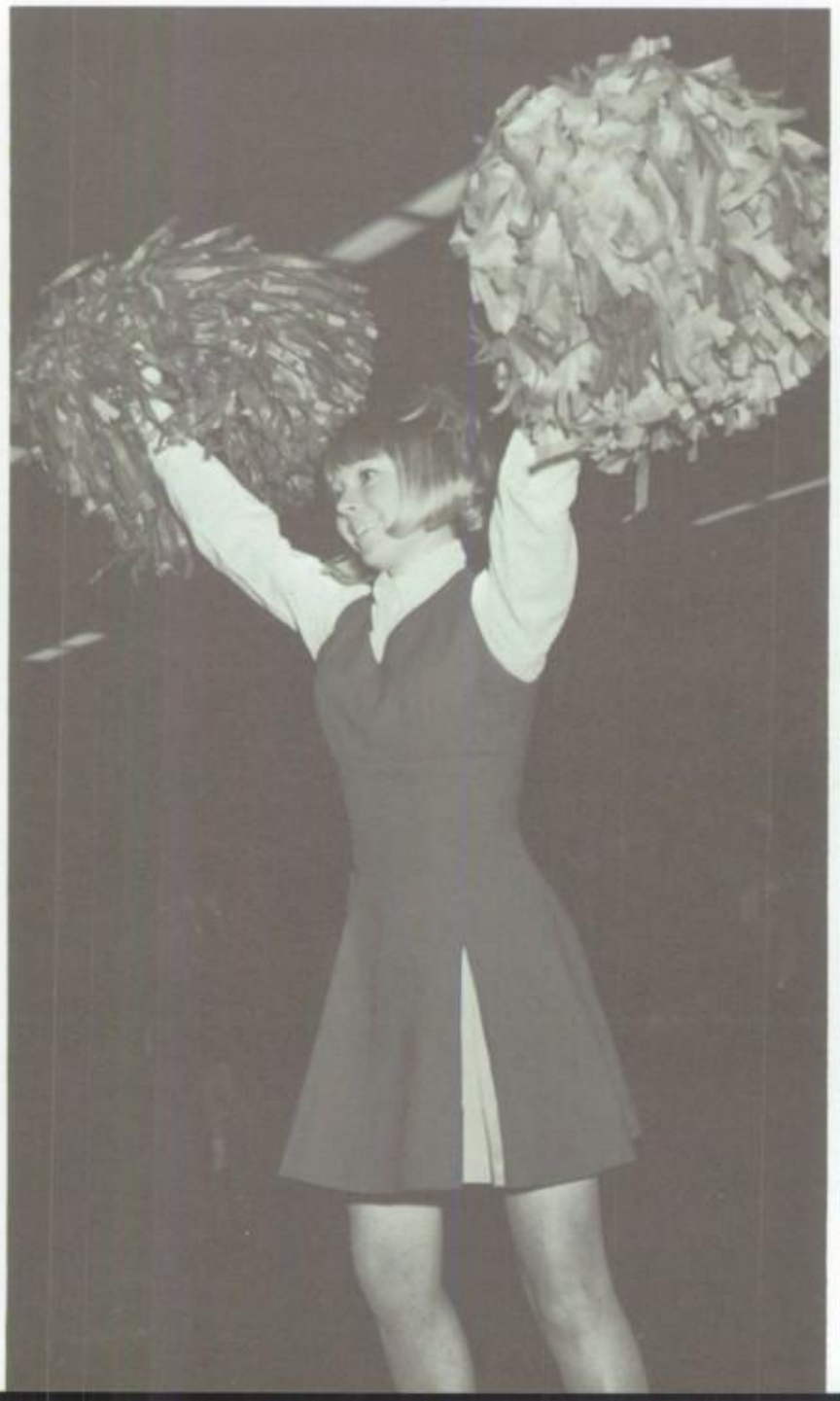
As a service to the community, the Thunder-Belles sold candy for the Muscular Dystrophy Foundation and performed for the P.T.A. in February, as part of their program, "Where The Action Is."

Smiling and stepping high, Jo Ann Hoit and Dede Connell lead the Thunder- Belle Drill Team in the Palmer-Wasson half-time show.

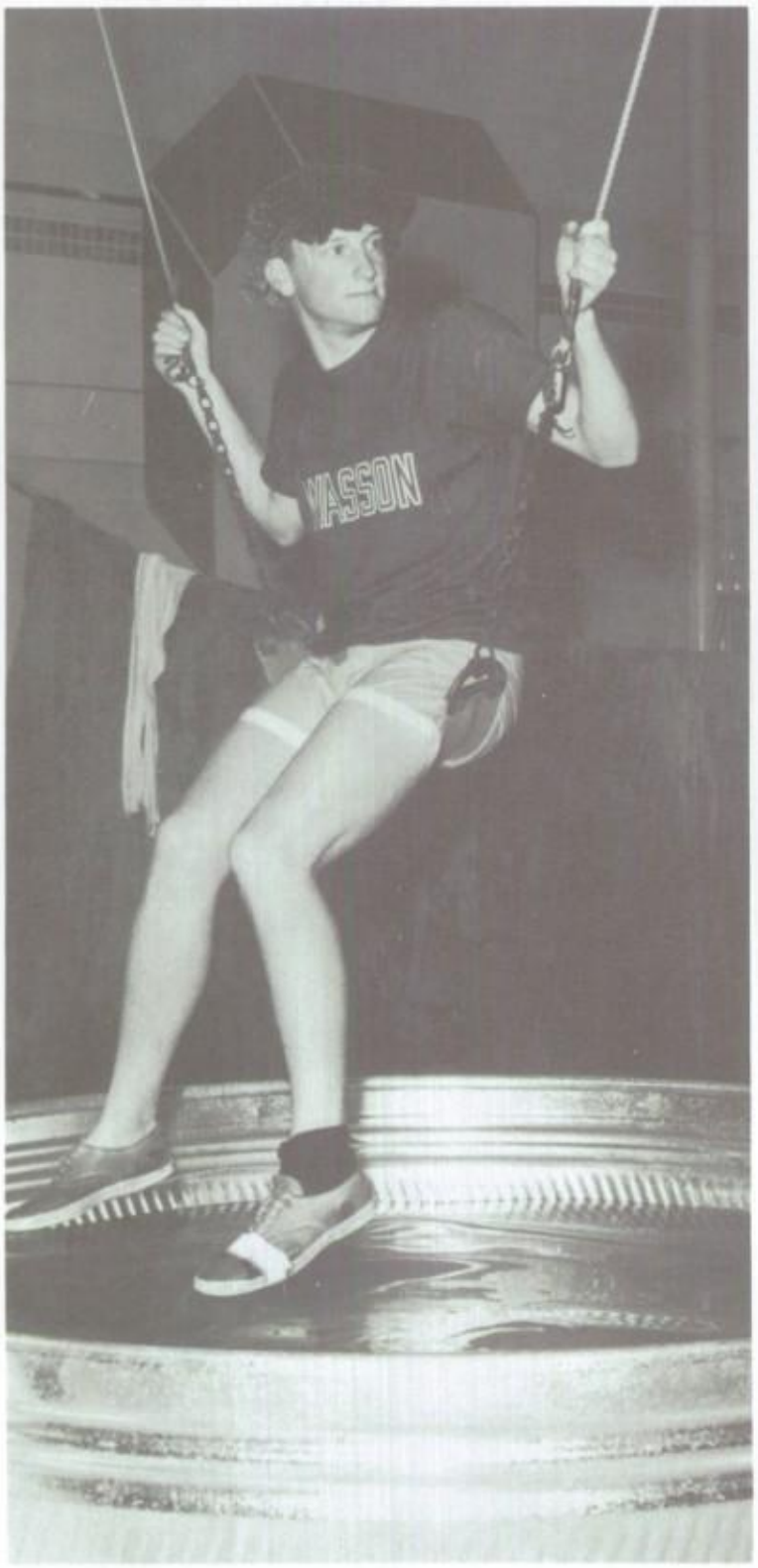
THUNDER-BELLES — TOP TO BOTTOM — ROW ONE: Kim Dadisman, Kathy Miller, DuAnn Gladem, Ginny Phillips, Debbie Williams, Priscilla Gehrung, Bette Blasing, Janet Hansen, Karol Oliver. ROW TWO: Patty Rauch, Debbie Belgum, Patty Miller, Nancy Knoeckel, Diana Bartley, Angie Nichols, Debbie Berwick, Nancy Shockey, Phyllis Lowder, Jeannie DellaCroce, Jo Ann Hoit, co-leader. ROW THREE: Jan Duke, Chris Bothwell, Susan Blumenstein, Debbie O'Guin, Doris Muir, Kathy Tanda, Lynn Ceuleers, Claudia Isley, Barb Harrison, Jane DeLashmutt. ROW FOUR: Debbie Smart, Marcy Huffman, Jayne Seeley, Patty Dessert, Debbie Stock, Carla Ancona, Kathy Doane, Linda McNall, Judy Mullins. ROW FIVE: Mary Gill, Carol Blumenstein, Joan Pierce, Tricia Wasson, Carol Quindt, Janie VanDeVoorde, Sandy Strickland, Pat Zemitis, Marcia Tewell, Kathy Valentine, Dede Connell, co-leader. ROW SIX: Sally Weigel, Jan Pearce, Jenni Beyer, Jene Langseth, Jill Twomey, Beth Gresh, Patty Gifford, Sandy Davis, Kristin Shutes, Sue Scariano.

Basketball fans were entertained by the T-Belles doing their interpretations of favorite movie themes.

Showing the results of practice, Jane DeLashmutt combines ability with showmanship when performing "Music To Watch Girls By."



The early morning practices in the stadium helped the Thunder-Belles perfect and sharpen their precise style and showmanship.



Randy McAdam awaits the inevitable soaking in C-Club's booth.

FRONT ROW: Scott Metcalf, Dan Jend, Bobby Blanchard, John Moon, Dick Offutt, John Murphy, Taylor Carey, Clay Williams, Mark Finlayson, Chuck Hughes, Steve Caulder, Doug Pagels, Steve Benson, Gary Hagopian, Craig Rasmussen. ROW TWO: Doug Edson, Mike Williams, Vic Buffetti, Jim Burke, Stewart Hayduk, Dale Isley, Dave Murphy, Jim Ayres, Bill Smith, R. J. Davis, Rick Patterson, Mike Rothe, Larry Skodack. ROW THREE: Nick Rossi, Tony Duarte, Steve Steiner, Mark Kelley, Larry Williams, Dennis Parker, Bob Lockwood, Dave Muir, Eric Bogren, Duke Howell, Jeff Scott, Dan McClure, Bill

1967-1968 C-CLUB OFFICERS: SITTING — Dick Offutt, morale; Clay Williams, secretary-treasurer; John Murphy, vice-president. STANDING — Taylor Carey, president; Mark Finlayson, I.C.C. representative.

Green. ROW FOUR: Johnny White, Jim Martin, Chip Merkert, Mark MacFarlane, Phil Layton, Randy McAdam, Gary Knopp, Randy Rodes, Bill Bever, Dave Aites, Rob Wilson, Chuck Donalson, John Casey. ROW FIVE: Gary Loveless, Toby Kircher, Jim Switzer, Mike Welch, Mike Baker, Scott Wilson, Dick Schanberger, Steve Hoit, Don Everson, Steve Bostrom, Rick Lohman, Jim Knipp, Rocky Whitworth. ROW SIX: Dave Collier, Mark Volkman, Paul Roesler, Bob Mueller, Mike Bennett, Jim Palmer, Doug Stone, Ronald O'Canna, Jesse Burris, Michael Larson, Elmer Crider, Christopher Talbott, George Kalber.

"C" Club

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE starting out with a big splash, and many Wasson students and teachers will forever cherish memories of their big splash into a C-Club's people-dunking booth at Homecoming. In addition to providing entertainment, the booth offered students a delightful way to release pent-up hostilities.

An assembly held during third quarter revealed to all the scandalous nature of the club when its members of the female species were introduced to a shocked audience. At the appearance of Cleopatra and her harem on stage, who could help wondering what other mysterious secrets C-Club was hiding?

The annual slave auction met with a rousing response and money, money, money as enthusiastic bidders vied for the possession of a slave for the day. Proceeds were spent on the club's traditional picnic in Austin Bluffs. As Taylor Carey put it, "A feast, with wine, women, and song, but without the wine and women."

It takes more than fast talking for President Carey to control the mutiny in one of the many riotous C-Club meetings.

Chess Club

LAST MARCH, WASSON'S chess squad placed first in the city for the fifth consecutive year. The club started the 1967-68 season with a decisive 15-6 victory over Cheyenne Mountain. Dual meets were also held with Air Academy and Palmer High Schools in which the top five Wasson players competed. Members met every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday after school in the cafeteria in order to develop personal skills and strategies in the game of chess. Much of second semester was spent preparing members for the state tournament in late spring. This important meet climaxed another successful year of the Wasson "pawn-pushers."

The club's booth at the Homecoming Carnival, which challenged students to throw a set of six darts at playing cards, was a financial success.

Third-year member Tim Gasperini ponders a knight's unusual mobility.

CHESS CLUB — FRONT ROW: Timothy Gasperini, Barry McWilliams, I.C.C. representative; Rich Carnahan, vice-president; Robert Hiltner, president; Earle Turvey, treasurer; Tom Bauch, secretary; Doug Sisk. BACK ROW: Martin Gordon, Jeff Mowder, Andy Bunting, Bobby Dickson, Steven Delano, Stan Rogers, Loren Pottenger, Robert Peck, sponsor.

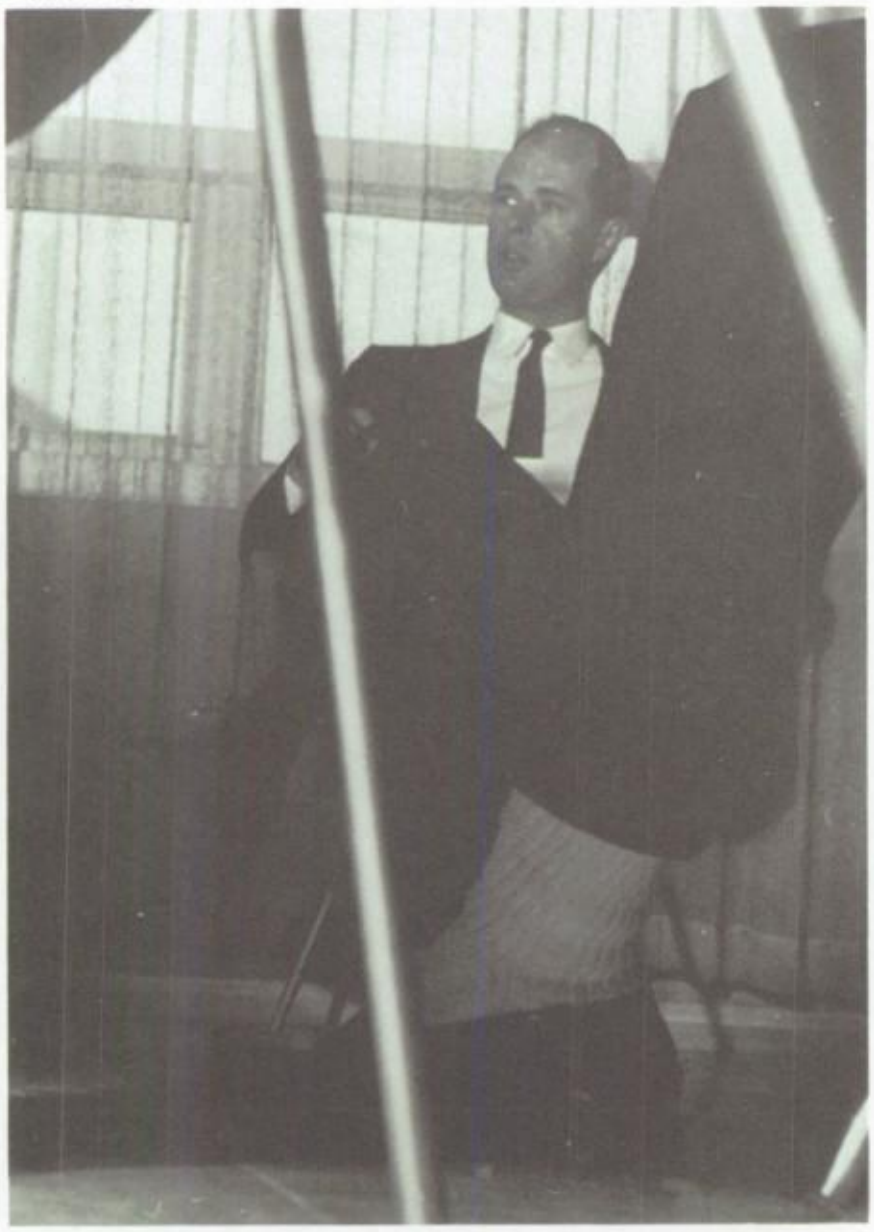
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB — FRONT ROW: Kris Berkeland, Brad Ayler, Paul Oelrich, Rich Kargard, vice-president and I.C.C. representative; Sue Baile, president; Debbi Pile, secretary-treasurer; Jack Lobato, Mike Reed. ROW TWO: Patty MacCorquodale, Janet Gill, Sandy Selby, Mary Voyles, Glynda Ratliff, Chari Greenfield, Pat Hackett, Jane Gill, Miss Nay, sponsor. BACK ROW: Brian Dreger, Tom Bauch, Michael Englert, Bruce W. Smith, Steve Bobbitt, Craig Dyer, Tim Gasperini, Richard Schneebeck, Barry McWilliams.

International Relations Club

FILMS, CONVENTIONS, and guest speakers all helped IRC members to realize the importance of foreign relations, current events, and world affairs today. At the November 6 meeting, Mr. Donald King, Colorado University Extension Division Representative, spoke to the International Relations Club on the legal and moral status of the conscientious objector and the pacifist.

Five students represented Wasson at the 34th Annual International Relations Club Conference of Colorado High Schools held November 17 at the University of Denver. The five delegates were Tim Gasperini, Paul Oelrich, Jane Gill, Sue Baile, and Mike Reed. "Red China and the United States" was the topic of discussion. A delegation also attended a model session of the United Nations at Colorado College and the World Affairs Conference at Colorado University in April.

At the January 15th meeting Colorado College professor David Finley lectures on Communist countries in the United Nations.



Future Scientists of America

WASSON CHAPTERS of the Pre-Med Club and the Future Scientists of America Club merged last fall into one club under the name F.S.A. Greater efficiency of club functions was attained through this action. Members were invited to attend the Advanced Science lectures held throughout the year: "Relativity and Space Travel," by Dr. Blade; "Time," by Dr. H. Beat Wackernagel; "Math in Research and Industry," by Dr. James Armstrong; and "Predicting Solar Disturbances," Maj. L. Hansrote.

Along with students of the Wasson A.P. Science class, F.S.A. members counseled about thirty sixth graders from Mark Twain Elementary School on their science projects. They also served as judges in the Regional Elementary School Science Fair, which was held in the school cafeteria in April.

Wasson students entering a project in the Wasson Math and Science Fair were helped by joint sessions of the Math and F.S.A. clubs held on February 23 and 26. Discussed was the topic "How To Make a Math or Science Project."

The club's Homecoming Booth not only brought a handsome profit but also was given the award for being the best booth.

Wasson students patronize F.S.A.'s award-winning Pecinko Machines booth.

FUTURE SCIENTISTS OF AMERICA — FRONT ROW: Mr. Reser, sponsor; Joyce Kistler, secretary; Heidi Snobble, president; Christopher Skinner, vice-president; Mark Stephens, I.C.C. representative. BACK ROW: Ken Day, Brooke Backman, Gary Patzel, Robbie Damico, Mark Carlson, Sharon Jubb.

Ben,
Advanced science and math have been much more enjoyable because of you.
Best of luck!
Heidi
Snobble

F.B.L.A. — FRONT ROW: James Wright, Sue Davison, treasurer; Barbara Alleman, vice-president; Carole Jackson, president; Judy Schmitz, I.C.C. representative; Peggy Liley, secretary; James L. Guerrero. ROW TWO: Nancy Miller, Jo Harmon, Sandy Nelson, Linda Guerrero, Lacretia Eichelberger, Patti Mathis, Kathy Chariton, Laura Howard. BACK ROW: Mr. Beadles, sponsor; Linda Raviotta, Brenda Glimpse, Karen Steffenson, Mary Rankine, Linda Suter, Kathy Knudson, Mr. Smutka, sponsor.

Cripple Creek days came to Wasson High at the F.B.L.A. Homecoming Booth.

Future Business Leaders of America

MEETING EVERY second Tuesday night of each month, FBLA sought to help students understand further the importance of business in today's world and to inspire interest in a business career. Field trips were taken to Farmers Insurance Group, December 21; Denver state convention of FBLA officers, January 13; and Mountain States Telephone, February 1. A delegation also attended the state convention held at Englewood High School on March 30 and participated in the shorthand and bookkeeping contests. The theme of the 1968 convention was "Planning for a Career in American Business."

Mr. Smutka, three-year sponsor of FBLA, stated that the club sold steno pads throughout the year to help offset expenses of the various activities. In addition, the Homecoming Carnival booth, which challenged students to toss rubber rings around girls' legs, was a great financial success.

MATH CLUB — FRONT ROW: Roger Bradshaw, Steven Hoit, LaRue Ebersole, vice-president; Marcia Fisher, president; Becky Knudson, secretary-treasurer; Rich Kargard, I.C.C. representative. BACK ROW: Jim Gardner, Craig Postlewaite, Liz Hull, Mary Voyles, Kathy Hanson, Roberta Draves, Jim Crompton.

Mathematics Club

CO-SPONSORED BY Mr. Leslie Hiskey and Mrs. Elizabeth Nelson, Math Club provided several opportunities for the mathematically inclined students at Wasson to show their abilities. The first few of its monthly meetings were devoted to the construction of math puzzles which the club used as prizes for its Homecoming booth. At a later meeting Mr. Hiskey helped students make hexa-flexagons, which are strips of paper that can be folded so that their opposite sides are shown.

At other meetings Math Club members studied sample problems for the Actuary Contest in March. These members, as well as other interested students who took this test, vied on a nationwide basis for a variety of prizes. During the later part of the year, the club explored the fundamentals and uses of the slide rule.

Mrs. Nelson examines various geometric figures with members of Math Club.

Taking orders is only part of Gail Harrison's job at Miller's Bakery.

Dear Ben,
We had fun and I'm really glad you had a happy year (at least I think you did). Hope Kathy works out.
Cindy McFarland

D.E.C.A.

Instructing Don Jones in the operation of the pricing machine is Ken Ruff.

EARLY IN THE YEAR, members of the Distributive Education Club of America represented Wasson at the district conference. At this meet, students demonstrated their abilities in the contest divisions of advertising layout, window display, public speaking, sales demonstration, and job application. Winners in these areas were later sent to the state conference, held at the Broadmoor in March.

For the first time an inter-city council was formed by students at Palmer, Mitchell, Widefield, and Wasson; members met for several casual gatherings throughout the year. Also on the informal note, members of D.E.C.A. met once each quarter at Bob's Cafe for breakfast.

In keeping with tradition, a city-wide employer-employee banquet held in May rounded out a busy year for D.E.C.A.'s members.

D.E.C.A. — FRONT ROW: Edward Chisman, Deana Peterson, publicity; Don McAtee, promotion; Lance Newcomer, president; Gary Linton, vice-president; Bea Brothers, secretary-treasurer. ROW TWO: Jim Hunter, Jan Carpenter, Gail Harrison, Faye Brown, Dana Swanson, Sharon Gilks, Barbara Dunn, George Salazar. BACK ROW: Kerry Smith, Craig Henkle, Randy Harris, Glen Foote, Steve Greene, Gary Hotchkiss, Mr. Arntzen, sponsor.

Spanish Club

A SPIRIT OF good will prevailed in Wasson's Spanish club, Los Conquistadores. Led by first semester officers Tina Cervantes, president; Joyce DeMora, vice-president; and Terri Grindell, secretary-treasurer, the Spanish club continued the tradition of giving a Christmas party for the children of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. The club served cake, cookies, and punch to the children before handing out individual net Christmas stockings as presents. They also gave prizes for the games that were played.

This year's plans for Homecoming included the operation of two booths. Some of the members worked in the boys' gym selling sopaipias, while the remainder of the group worked in a pinata booth selling chances to break a pinata and get part of the candy inside.

Second semester the club's officers were: Kris Berkeland, president; Terri Grindell, vice-president; and Tina Cervantes, secretary-treasurer. These officers planned to have college students from Spanish-American countries speak at meetings. Also planned were slides from Spanish-speaking countries and a dinner.

Happiness is hopes of a smashed pinata and candy for Homecoming batters.

SPANISH CLUB — FRONT ROW: Darcy E. McCoy, Kris Berkeland Terri Grindell, secretary-treasurer; Tina Cervantes, president; Ginny Phillips, Susan Benedict. BACK ROW: Mr. Delbert Bye, sponsor; Steve Edmonds, Pami Ponting, Mary Jett, Ellen Edwards, Charlene Lawrence, Mrs. Joanna J. Ritzman, sponsor. NOT PICTURED: Joyce DeMora, vice-president-I.C.C. representative.

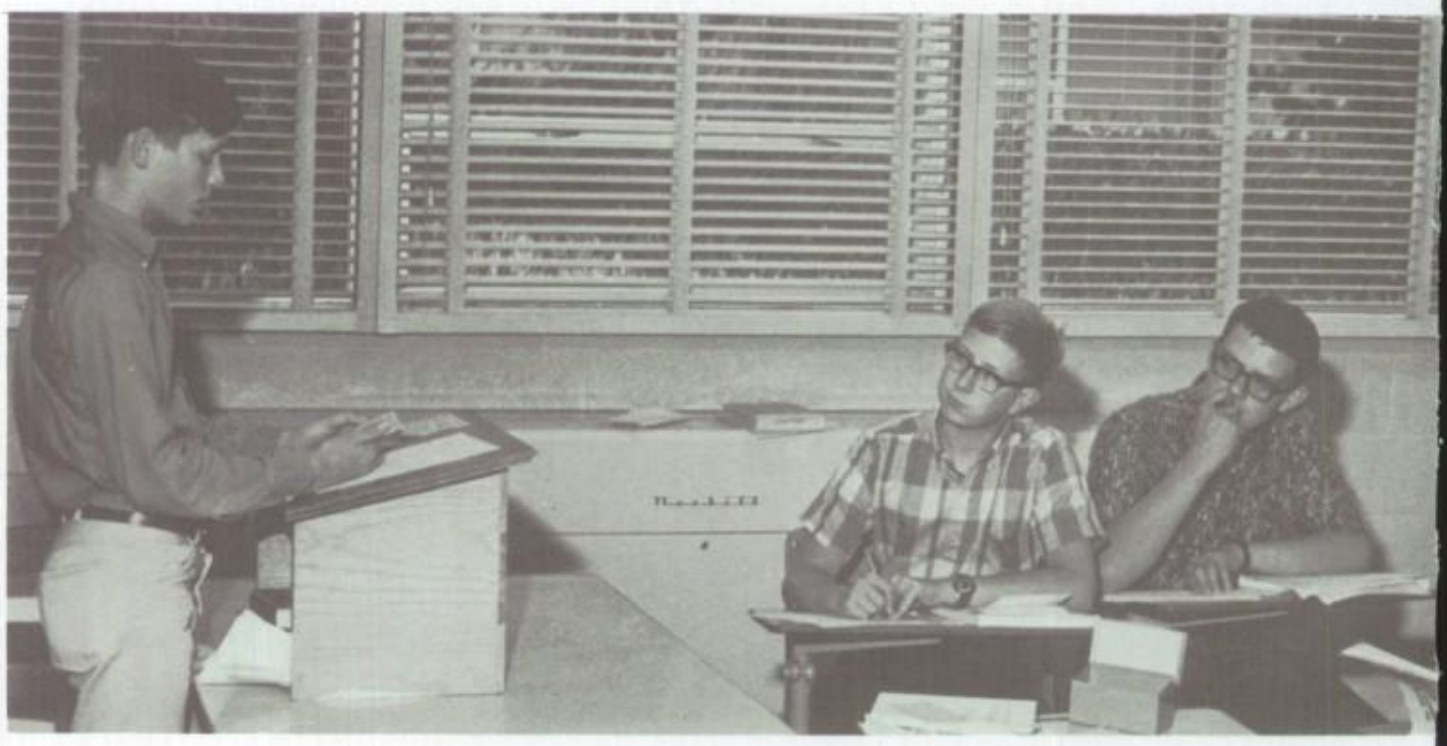
GERMAN CLUB — FRONT ROW: Rich Kargard, Gary Waitschies, Terri Grindell, secretary-treasurer; Russell Schmitt, president; Dennis Fischer, vice-president; Pam Redding, I.C.C. representative; Paul M. Oelrich. ROW TWO: Stuart Erdenberg, Dianne Bailey, Kathi Geneste, Sharlene Hast, Genie Heppner, Dorothea Slater, Linda Simpson, Ginny Aragon, Susie Lincoln, Gregory Wright. ROW THREE: Ron Harris, Jim Murphy, Michelle Lukaszeivicy, Beth Griffin, Barb Sullins, Roberta Draves, Christine Censner, Barbara Eckley, Ron Winne, Mr. Hoffman, sponsor. BACK ROW: Mike Primm, Bryan Williams, Bill Somers, Mark Stephens, Bill Ragle, Andrew Weigel, Ben Shaw, Don Kyer, Tim Gasperini.

This soccer place kick by Paul Oelrich at a pre-game practice session can only be termed "out of sight!"

German Club

DIE ROTE GURKE ist gekommen! that's right, the Red Pickle (a cart) has come, and it has brought Wasson's German Club their new sponsor, Mr. Jon Hoffman. Before coming to Wasson Mr. Hoffman spent the summer traveling throughout Germany. The movies he took there were shown to the club during several meetings.

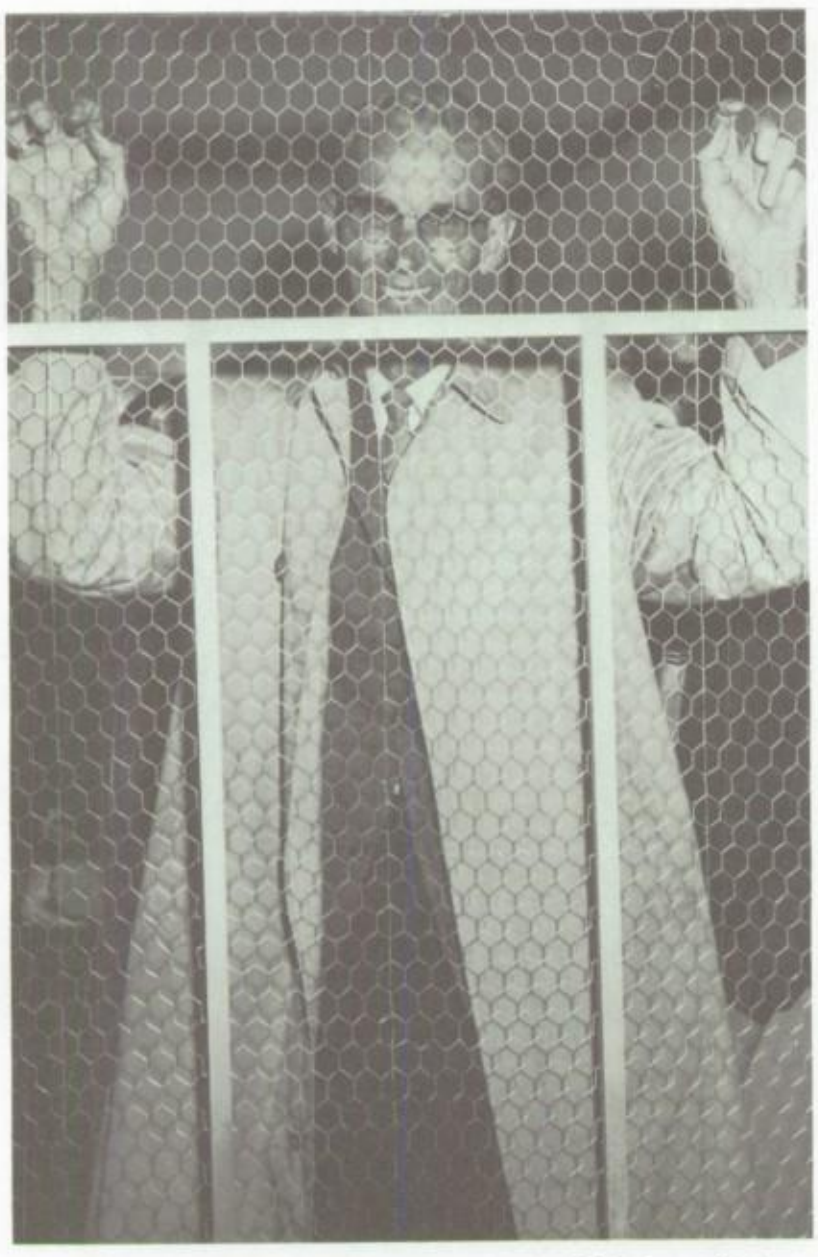
The club sold pretzels and rootbeer at the Homingcoming carnival in an open-air cafe booth. Wasson's German Club was active in inter-school club activities with Palmer and Mitchell's clubs. Palmer's club extended invitations to a Polka Party, Mitchell's German Club invited the Wasson club to a Faschings Ball, and Wassons's club hosted a soccer game. Speakers, dancers, and the singing couple, Mr. and Mrs. Sennert, were invited to meetings. The officers — Rusty Schmidt, president; Dennis Fischer, vice-president; Terri Grindell, secretary-treasurer and Pam Redding, I.C.C. planned a German dinner during the spring months.



Practicing for a debate tournament, Jim Gallogly presents his speech to Stu Erdenberg and Jim Sullivan.

To prepare for his extemporaneous presentation, John King researches current magazines and pamphlets.

After preparation and practice John presents his speech to judges and listeners.



Not even Mr. Christensen could escape Forum Club's Interpol Prison.

Forum Club

ON AN OCCASIONAL cold Saturday morning around 6:00 a.m., one could have seen members of Wasson's Forum Club boarding busses that took them to many of their speech tournaments during the year. Forum Club brought much recognition to Wasson by participating in tournaments such as the Wheatridge Invitational, the Aurora-Hinkley Invitational, and the Regis College Invitational in January. In November Forum Club held its own tournament, the Pikes Peak Invitational, to which speech clubs from Denver, Pueblo, and the Pikes Peak Region were invited.

Under the co-sponsorship of Miss Dater and Miss Heller, Forum Club held its meetings on Tuesday nights; Miss Dater coached the debate teams and Miss Heller coached the members for the individual events. Forum Club urged anyone who had an interest in public speaking to attend their meetings. There students received help in fields ranging from extemporaneous speaking to the interpretation of poetry. To end their forensic season, members of Forum Club participated in the district qualifying tournament in hopes of going to the state competition.

FORUM CLUB — FRONT ROW: Miss Dater, co-sponsor; Rich Kargard, Bill O'Rourke, secretary; Pat MacCorquodale, vice-president; David Griesmer, president; Randy McAdam, I.C.C. representative; Brian Dreger, Miss Heller, co-sponsor. BACK ROW: Timothy Sullivan, Craig Postlewaite, Jim Gallogly, John Dickson, Chris Kleager, Carolyn Gagznos, Craig Werner, Stuart Erdenberg, Mike Reed.

Future Teachers of America

PEACE CORPS? VISTA? Project Headstart? FTA members were able to learn about government services in teaching through the special programs held on these subjects.

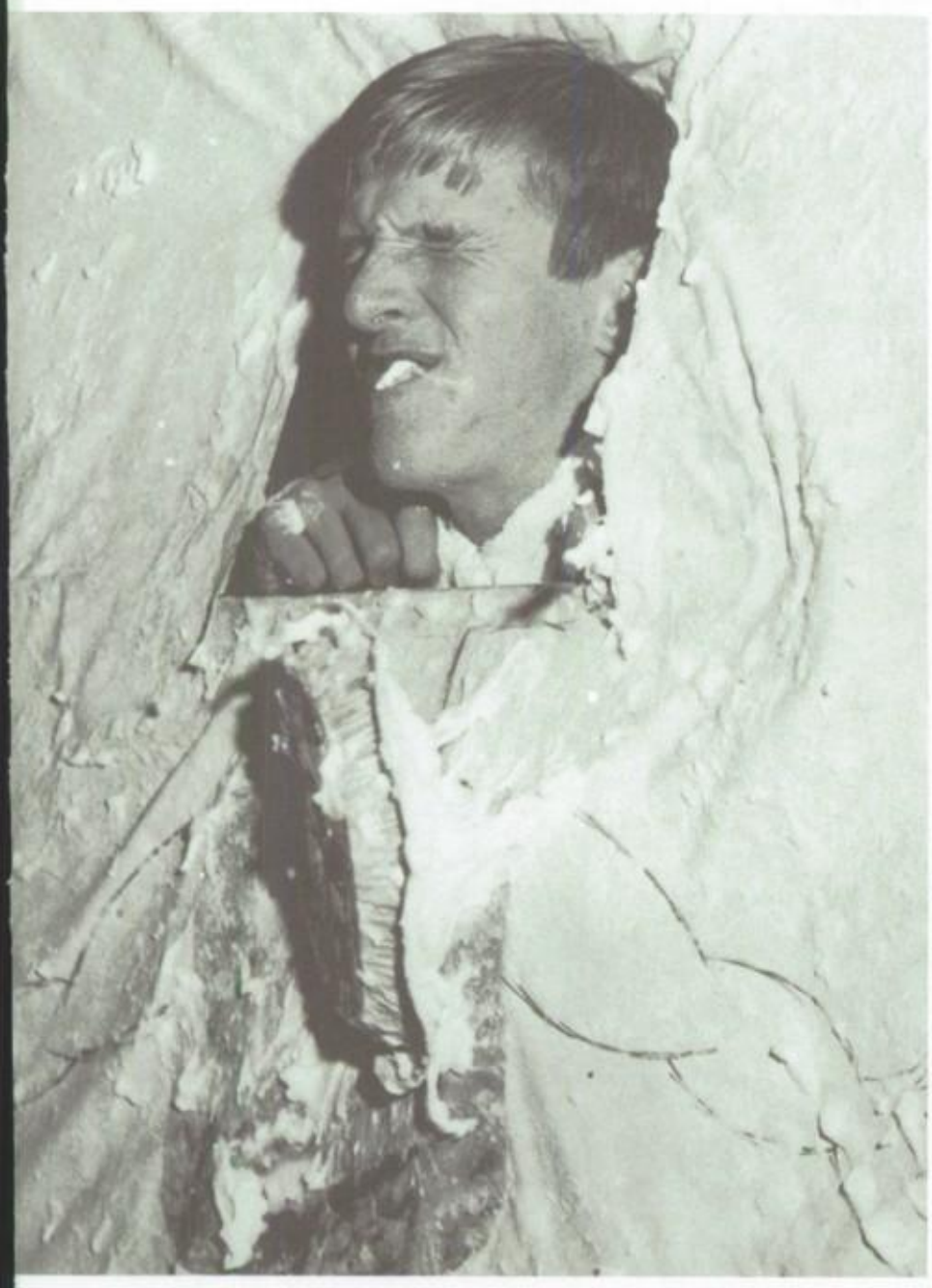
Members were given a chance to determine whether teaching was their desired career when they taught at elementary schools and to Wasson A group classes.

The traditional sale of Homecoming Mums was held the week of October 30, and at the Homecoming Carnival students were able to satisfy their urge to take revenge on their favorite math teachers by heaving shaving cream pies at them — all for only three tickets!

Money from the two events and from the FTA-sponsored Commencement Dance was used to provide an FTA scholarship for an outstanding senior member and to build a school in Asia or Africa through the Peace Corps.

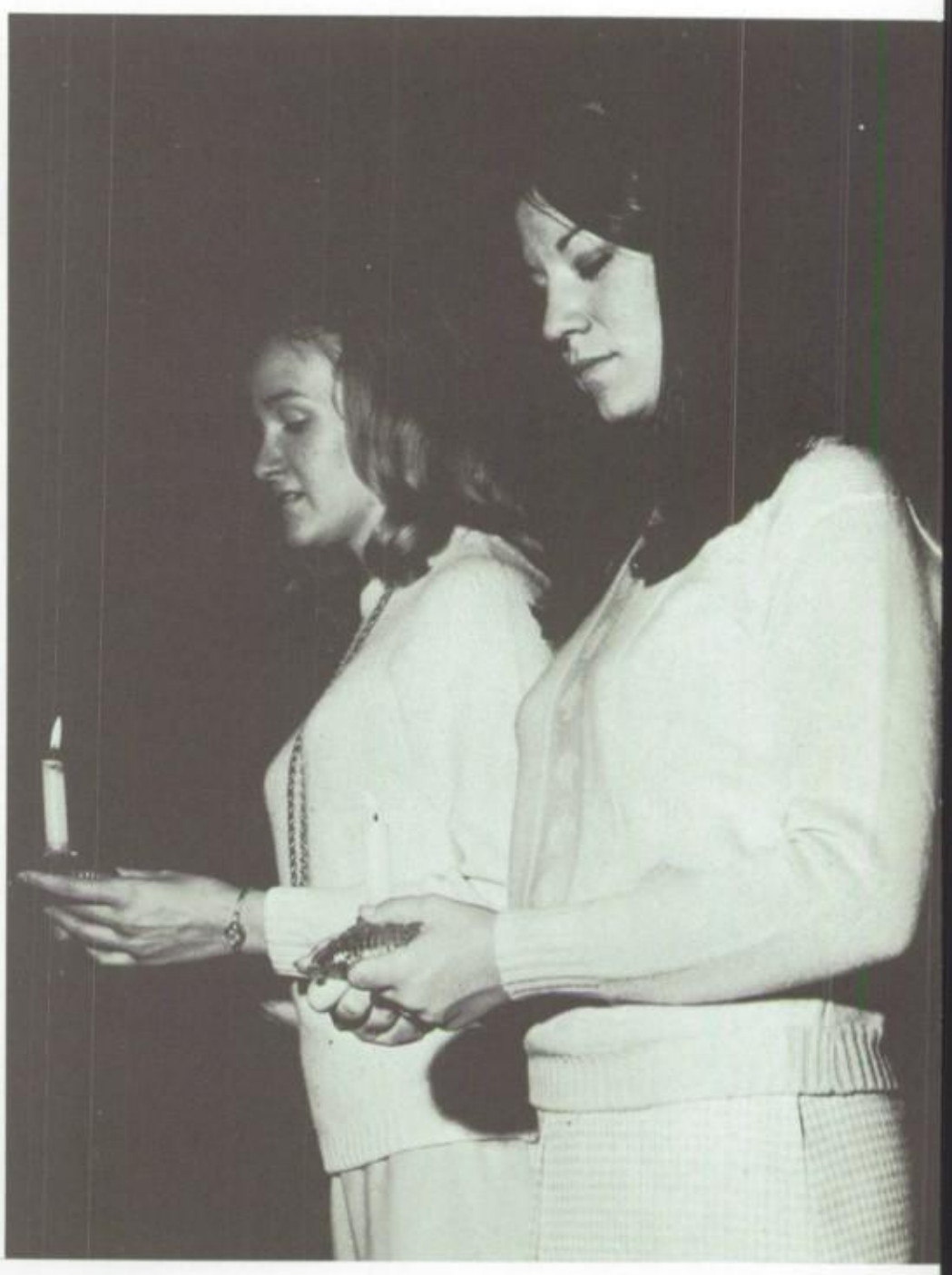
Big and little — FTA president Lila Rioth develops teaching skills by instructing a class of first graders at Jefferson Elementary School.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA — FRONT ROW: Nancy Nettleton, historian; Debbie Wunder, I.C.C. representative; Emily Larson, treasurer; Lila Rioth, president; Karen Peters, vice-president; Sandra Huisenga, social; Jane Gill, secretary. ROW TWO: Nancy Odneal, Ellen Johnson, Nancy Neifert, Jackie Depew, Eileen Ross, Ginny Phillips, Charlene Lawrence, Peggy Long, Marilyn Monnett, Debi Johnson. ROW THREE: Keith Edquist, Debbie Purcell, Tricia Wendt, Gail Barnes, Candy Manchester, Paula Nesselroad, Debra Huisenga, Thelma Northup, Steve Smith. ROW FOUR: Anne Trobaugh, Mary Kupfer, Nona Lindsey, Pat MacCorquodale, Lynn Young, Janice York, Nancy Pattee, Sharon Alexander. BACK ROW: Pami Ponting, Carolyn Edgar, Ann Higginson, Debbie Flanders, Gerri Slagle, Jill Hagopian, Cheri Kistler, Sue Koscove.



FTA member Keith Edquist winces in anticipation of the next cream pie.

Spirit rides high at Wasson during Homecoming Week as Mr. Barber persuades teachers and students to buy a traditional Homecoming mum.



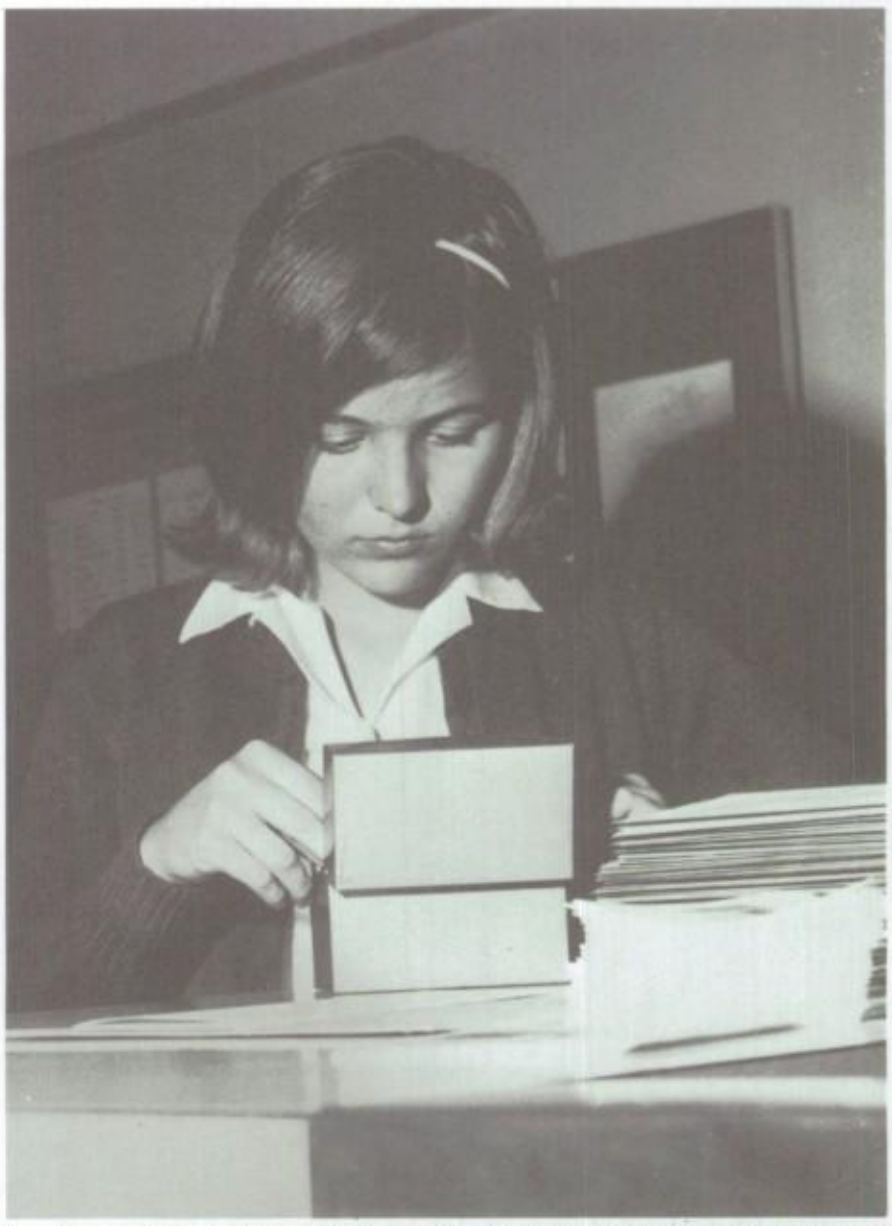
First-year FTA members Nancy Nettleton and Priscilla Gehrung are solemnly initiated in a candlelight ceremony at the September 19 meeting.

National Honor Society

BIDS FOR THE Wasson chapter of the National Honor Society were extended December 1 to thirty-five juniors and fifty-nine seniors. Students were selected from the upper twenty-five per cent of the two classes on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, and service.

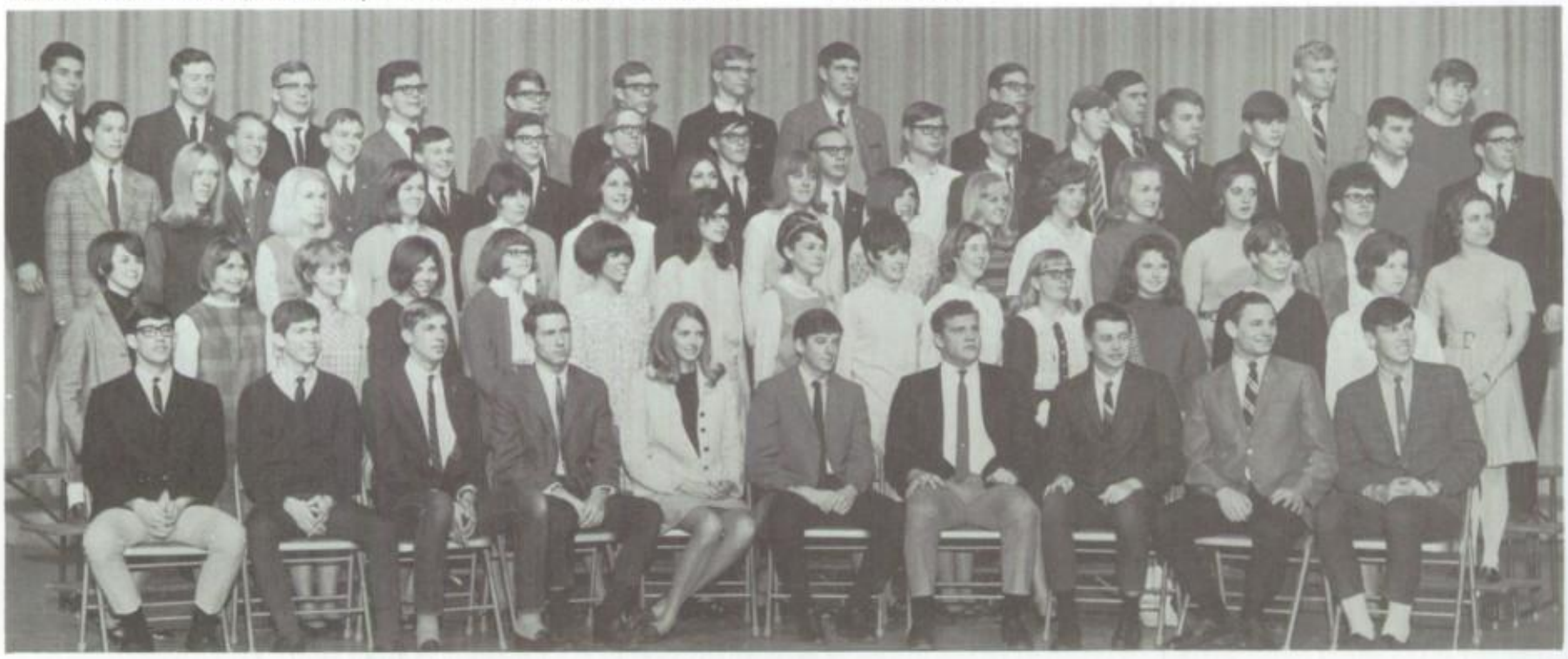
Activities of the organization were widely varied. The first meeting, a get-acquainted pizza party, was held after school on December 11 in the Brick Room. During second semester, Doug Sisk conducted classes on parliamentary procedure. In February, books were collected from the student body and sent to servicemen overseas, the Red Cross, and Project Headstart. A delegation attended the annual N.H.S. convention at Colorado University in the spring.

Members participated voluntarily in the Honor Society Tutoring Service. Tutoring arrangements were made by appointments and took place before and after school, during study halls and free periods.



For the third year, National Honor Society's far-sighted tutoring program offers academic assistance to such ambitious students as Nancy Knoeckel.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY — FRONT ROW: C. W. Nevius, Dale Isley, Kent Nelson, Randy Johnson, Kathy Graham, vice president; Tobias Kircher, Gary Hagopian, Kurt Brandt, Craig Rasmussen, Paul M. Oelrich. ROW TWO: Susie Brunk, Cindy Noxon, Kay Turnbaugh, Suzzane Lincoln, Debbie Sauerhagen, Cori Parisi, Cheryl Eheman, Lila Rioth, Soozi Palmer, Jill Stegner, Becky Knudsen, Charlotte King, Jeanne Schenk, Leta Parker. ROW THREE: Marcia Nelson, Jolie Jeffries, Carol Blumenstein, Jan Curry, Joyce Evans, Kathleen McCord, Jayne Dethloff, Paula Tomhave, Jan Wilson, Kris Berkeland, Nancy Nettleton, Roxie Anderson, Donna Kensler, Heidi Snobble. ROW FOUR: Dave Collier, Craig Postlewaite, David Griesemer, Steven Hoit, Mickey Gordon, Earle Turvey, Jeff Campbell, Mason Norwood, Barkley Heuser, Dave Kendrick, Jon Wraith, Michael Reed, Curtis Erpelding, Tim Gasperini, Marlin Rhodebeck. BACK ROW: Johnny White, John Knippers, Jim Gardner, Bill O'Rourke, Mike Primm, Benson Shaw, Steve Bostrom, Mark Volkman, Jerry Zoellner, John Casey, Jim Burke, Mike Glasser.



N.H.S. members have fun munching on pizza and drinking pop at the get-acquainted party.

Mr. Higgins revives the tradition of a faculty member speaking at the N.H.S. initiation with his address on the qualities of the N.H.S. member.

Chairman Heidi Snobble looks over the results of the day's efforts.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY—FRONT ROW: Gary Waitschies, Curt Snook, Brian Dreger, Paul Carlton, Mary Voyles, secretary; M. Danny Gordon, president; Doug Sisk, I.C.C. representative; Steve Steiner, treasurer; Jim Hull, Rod Wilson. ROW TWO: Eugenia Lee, Priscilla Gehrung, Vicki Norris, Chris Kleager, Deborah Helbig, Sharlyn Knaack, Charleen Kelly, Judy Mullins, Francy Kraushaar, Marcia Fisher, Patricia Zemitis, Cathy Strand, Barb Sullins, Janice Roth. BACK ROW: Marlene Rataczak, Patty Rauch, Cathi Schanberger, Sherri Hekkers, Chris Kellogg, Kay Nielson, Janet Beardsley, Sharlene Hast, Pam Eheman, Chris Bothwell, Sharon Jubb, Terri Grindell, Kay Matthews, Sue Koscove.

Photo Club

THE WASSON SHUTTERBIRDS were kept busy with many activities this year. Under the guidance of Mr. Robinson, sponsor, Photo Club members learned techniques of good photography.

Photo club members were responsible for taking pictures at most school activities. They also took many pictures for the **Thunderbolt** staff and the **Wahian** staff. Also, the photographers helped many students and teachers to obtain illustrative pictures for speeches and lectures.

Several of the club's members entered the Scholastic Photo Awards contest, which offers grants, scholarships, and certificates to especially gifted student photographers. The entered pictures were scored on over-all quality, originality, and appeal.

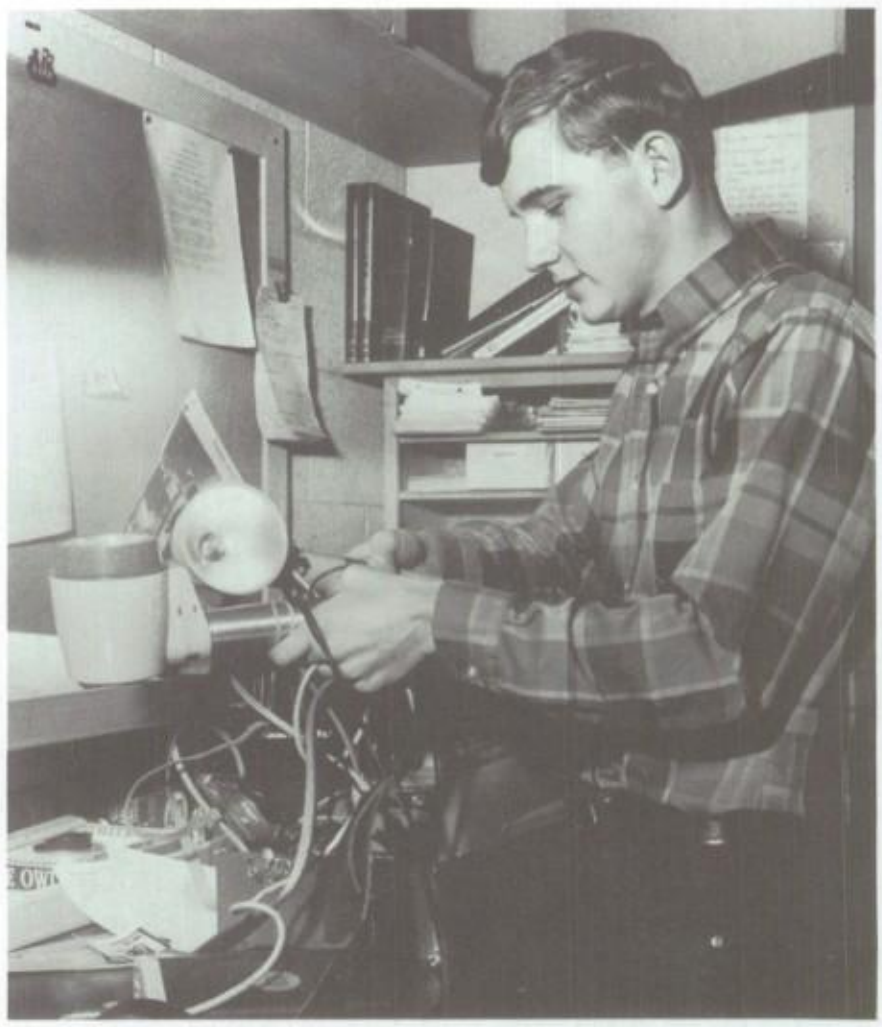


Photo Club member Rusty Schmitt employs his knowledge of complicated photographic equipment while repairing the wiring of an overhead projector.

PHOTO CLUB — FRONT ROW: Wes Archibald, Toni Spargur, Richard Morris, president; Russell Schmitt, Sally Weigel. BACK ROW: Mike Filler, Larry Liston, Joseph Blais, Mr. Robinson, sponsor.

"Oh! A present for ME?" These were the words exclaimed by Mr. Robinson at his surprise birthday party given by the members of Wasson Photo Club

PENMAN—FRONT ROW: Barb Twomey, David Griesemer, prose editor; Kay Matthews, editor; Jim McClellan, poetry editor; Kathy Lucille Duke, art editor. BACK ROW: Chuck Donalson, Deborah Helbig, Patty Hinkel, Bruce W. Smith, Glynda Ratliff, Mr. J. L. Bridgman, sponsor.

Penman

Kathy Duke, art editor of the **Penman,** *demonstrates artistic and illustrative qualities of Wasson's literary magazine while making a collage.*

MANY LONG HOURS of editing were put into the 1968 edition of the **Penman,** Wasson's literary magazine. Students were invited to put their original art, prose, and poetry works into the green **Penman** mailbox in the library. The editors chose appropriate materials and included them in the **Penman,** which was then issued to the students in early May.

The **Penman** section editors, the staff, and Mr. Bridgman, sponsor, met at least once each month throughout the school year. In order to be qualified for a position on the staff, a student needed his English teacher's recommendation and the approval of the publication's sponsor.

Literary Guild

DID YOU NEED notecards, dictionaries, history notes, steno pads, tempera paints, or a good book to read over that long vacation? Perhaps you were one of the students who sought these things in Wasson's bookstore run by the Literary Guild. Along with these helpful items for students, the bookstore's inventory included many new books. A few of these were **The Communist Manifesto, Hitler and Nazism, American History After 1865,** and **Catcher in the Rye.** Literary Guild's new sponsor was Mr. Brinton. Each of the club's officers had specific duties. President Mary Voyles handled book orders, work schedules, and assisted the other committees. Vice-president Kris Berkeland attended I.C.C. meetings and headed the publicity committee. Marcia Fisher, secretary-treasurer, took charge of all club records and headed her assisting records committee. Susie Roberts was chairman of the selections committee which chose and reviewed all new books.

Is it a disaster, great theft, or new sales record? No, it is Susie Roberts eyeing a new shipment of books before beginning sorting operations.

LITERARY GUILD — FRONT ROW: Marcia Beals, Marcia Fisher, secretary-treasurer; Mary Voyles, president; Kris Berkeland, vice-president; Cheryl Beals, Leslie Boggs. ROW TWO: Dorothea Slater, Susie Roberts, head of selection; Ruth Keiderling, Chrissy Johnson, Peggy Price, Kitty Zell, Susan Benedict, Susie Lincoln. BACK ROW: Loren Pottenger, Sonja Punmire, Kristin McDowell, Pam Mackey, Debbi Pile, Roxie Anderson, Janice Roth, Susan Baile, Greg Wright, Mr. D. Brinton, sponsor. NOT PICTURED: Tom Bauch, Rich Kargard.

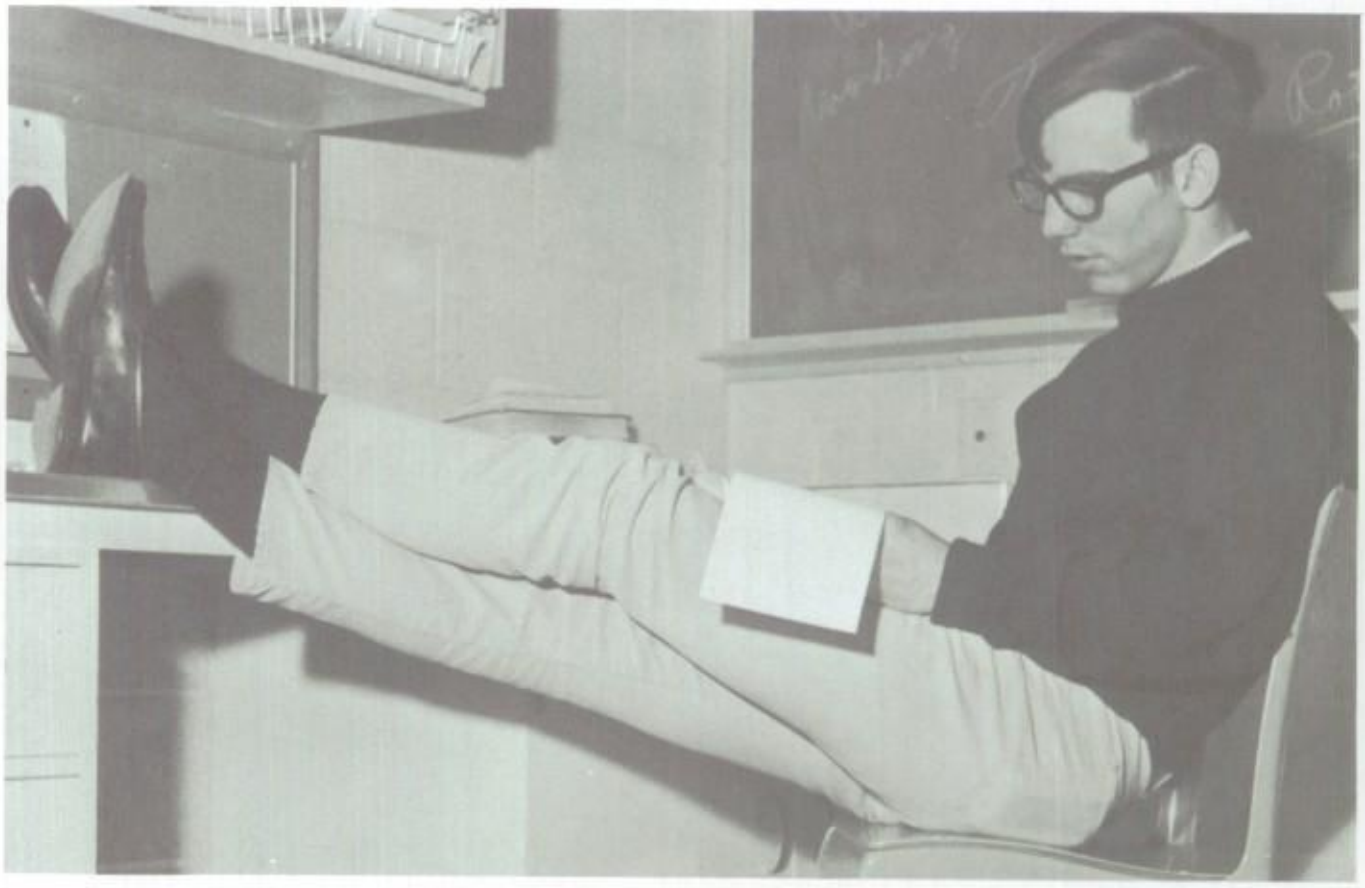
QUILL AND SCROLL — FRONT ROW: Lila Rioth, Jan Curry, Jill Twomey, Carol Quindt, Priscilla Gehrung, Eugenia Lee, Mary Gill. ROW TWO: Mr. Robert Simons, adviser; Debbi Pile, Barbra Zimmerman, Jenni Parisi, Shirley Harper, Conny Gelvin, Hermina Shmarback, Chari Greenfield, Sheryl Arndt, Polly Gourley, Marcy Huffman, Janet Simons, Diana Hartz, Joyce Evans, Lola Jackson, Debbie McRae, Terri Westerdahl, Kathy Graham, Kay Turnbaugh. BACK ROW: Doug Pagels, Bark Heuser, Fred Hoffman, John Cummings, Richard Morris, Gary Waitschies, Michael Reed, Russell Schmitt, Stephen Sletta, Rob Wilson, Charles Donalson, John Casey.

Lighting candles during the Quill and Scroll initiation are members Marcy Huffman and Priscilla Gehrung.

Quill and Scroll

EARLY IN FEBRUARY invitations were sent to staff members of **Penman, Thunderbolt,** and **Wahian**. These staff members were invited to join the international Society of Quill and Scroll. Members were chosen on the merits of outstanding work in some phase of journalism, recommendation by the publication's adviser, and class rank within the upper third of the member's class. All members receive a monthly magazine entitled **Quill and Scroll.**

The initiation was held in the Brick Room on February 29. The Wasson organization, sponsored by Mr. Simons, was in charge of the ceremony while Palmer's club provided the program and Mitchell's group furnished the refreshments.



Gary Waitschies, editor-in-chief, relaxes while proof-reading Thunderbolt copy for the February 9 deadline.

Thunderbolt

BOLD USE OF photography and a new emphasis on art work gave the 67-68 **Thunderbolt** a new look at originality. The art work, done by John Cummings and Kathy Duke, was used to illustrate editorials, advertisements, and stories about student life.

Under the sponsorship of Mr. Simons and the leadership of Gary Waitschies, the staff of eighteen published fifteen issues of the **Thunderbolt**. After completing a course in journalism, the first year journalism class published their own edition of the **Thunderbolt**. An extra feature in the **Thuderbolt** was the Scholastic Roto, which featured articles on foreign study and student activities.

Following last year's second semester All-American rating, **Thunderbolt** received the Colorado Press Award for being one of the outstanding high school papers in Colorado.

The requirements for a position on the **Thunderbolt** staff are the completion of Journalism 1 and 2 and selection by the adviser, Mr. Simons.

Comparing the T-bolt to other high school papers, Cori Parisi find many similarities and differences in layouts.

Copy editor Diana Hartz observes Robert Nicklaus put type in the galley.

Conny Gelvin observes as Mr. Simons fits each column into place.

THUNDERBOLT — FRONT ROW: Kathy Lucille Duke, Sheryl Arndt, Lola Jackson, Gary Waitschies, editor; Cori Parisi, Conny Gelvin, Diana Hartz. ROW TWO: Barbara Zimmerman, Mary Williams, Viv Vollbracht, Debbie McRae, Toni Spargur, Phyllis Lowder, Cindy Burgess, Mr. Robert E. Simons, adviser. BACK ROW: Darrell Holley, Bark Heuser, John Cummings.

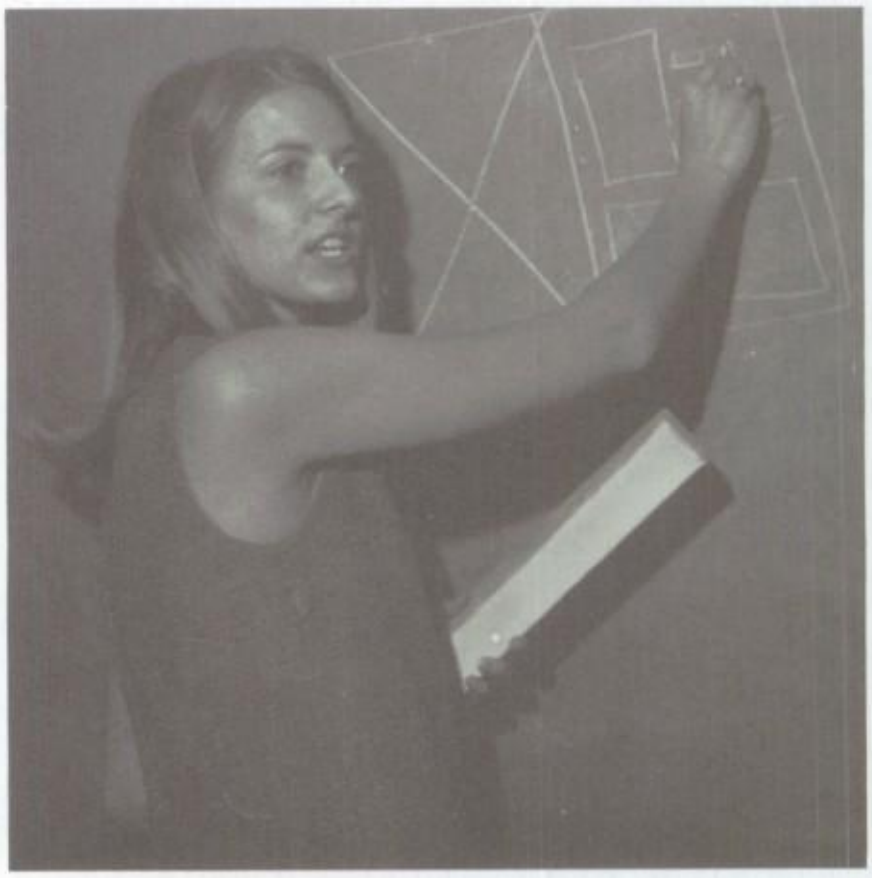
Wahian

"Look to this day,
For it is the very life of life.
In its brief course lie all the verities and realities
of your existence . . ."

This poem was chosen as the theme for the 1968 WAHIAN because it reflected the aspects of Wasson life: action. growth, and beauty. The theme was carried out by using an orange cover and a sunburst motif on the division pages and opening section. The 1968 staff strove to surpass the 1967 WAHIAN. rated an All American for the fourth consecutive year by the National Scholastic Press Association. The members worked again this year with a mosiac layout, developing it more fully throughout the various sections of the book.

In the fall of the year, Mr. Robert Hill, WAHIAN adviser, conducted classes in yearbook journalism and the process of assembling a yearbook. The staff members were then given a free hand under the leadership of Editor Kathy Graham and Assistant Editor Mike Reed. The WAHIAN was completed in early March and the staff then started work on the 1969 WAHIAN.

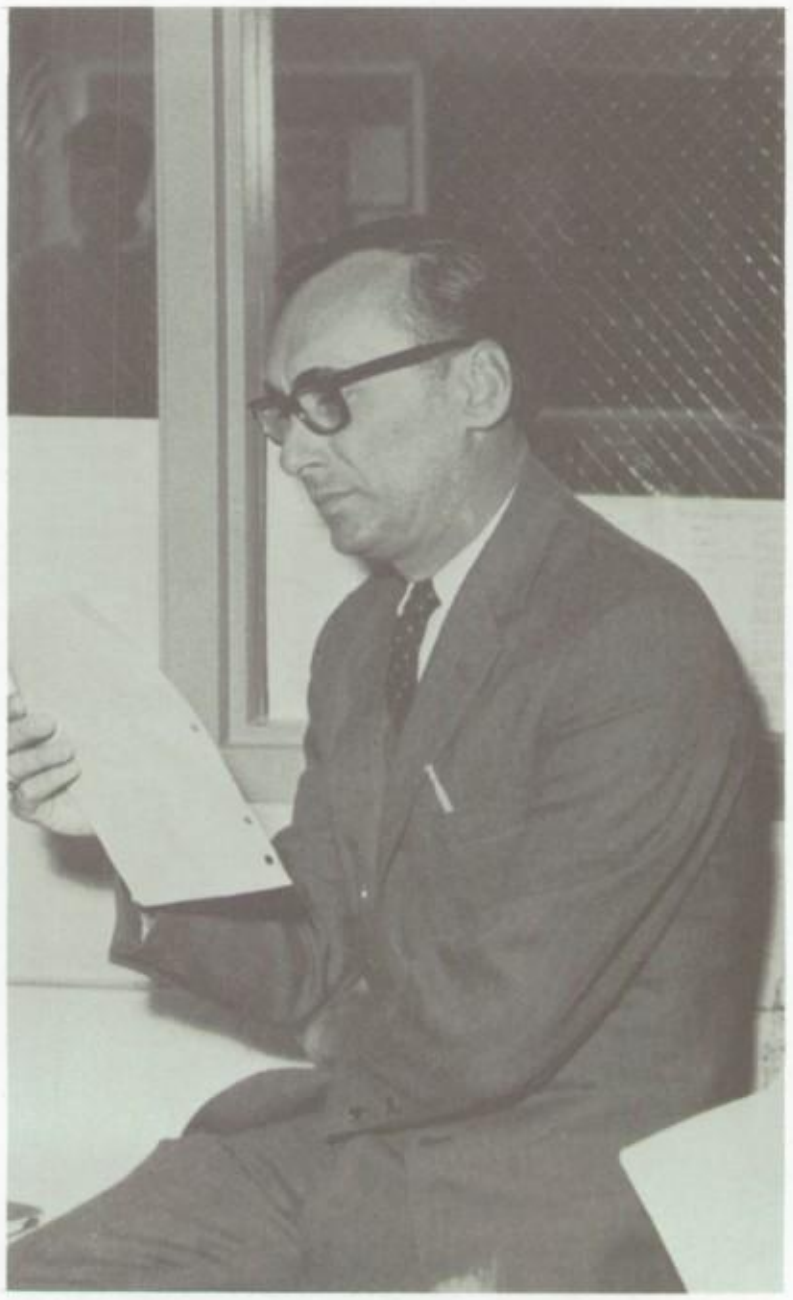
As part of the class instruction, correct placement of copy and headlines was shown to the yearbook staff by editor Kathy Graham.



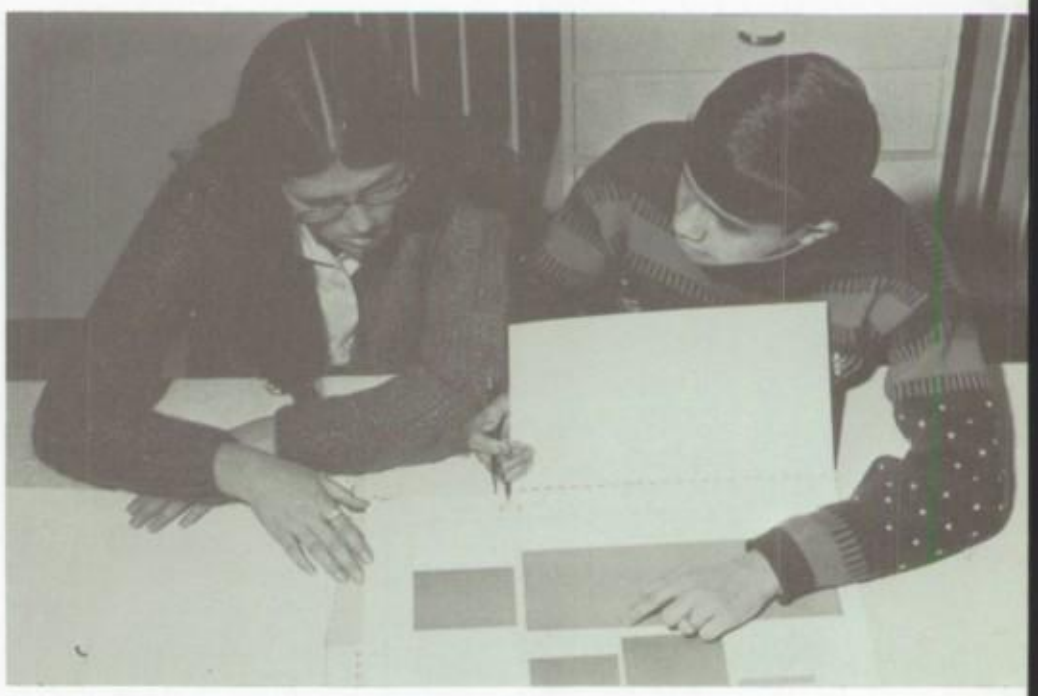
WAHIAN — FRONT ROW: Eugenia Lee, Joyce Evans, Jan Curry, Fred Hoffman, Kathy Graham, editor-in-chief; Mike Reed, assistant editor; Rob Wilson, Steve Sletta, Kay Turnbaugh. ROW TWO: Steve Brown, student teacher; Ellen Jonnson, Chris Bothwell, Lila Kioth, Mary Gill, Kris Berkeland, Joy Ann Robinson, Nancy Nettleton, Pat Hackett, Robert Hill, adviser. ROW THREE: Doug Pagels, Jack Lobato, Cindy Martinez, Barb Twomey, Priscilla Gehrung, Jill Twomey, Sally Wiegel, Richard Schneebeck, Ladd Hiatt. BACK ROW: Dave Kendrick, Charles Donalson, Richard Morris, Brian Dreger, Dave Ochs, Bill Ragle, Chip Merkert, Rick Lonman, John Casey.

Sports editor Rob Wilson and staff member Rick Lohman found the exchange yearbooks and journalism texts useful for new ideas in their section.

Photographs for the opening section were selected by Kathy and Mike.



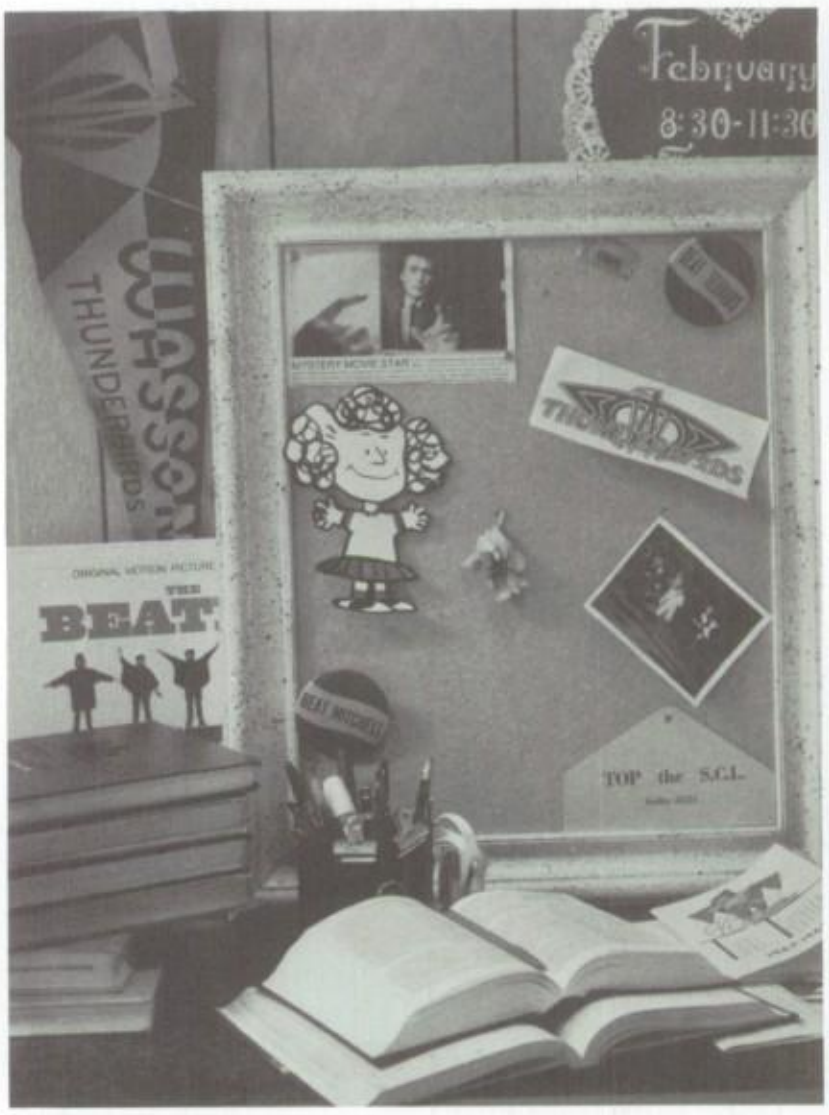
Mr. Robert Hill, adviser, proofread copy and suggested corrections.



Using the layout guide from the American Yearbook Company helped Jill Twomey and Jack Lobato devise layouts best suited for their pages.

Classes

Sophomore, junior, senior: a transit trio. Little man, medium man, big man. Traces of contrived inferiority, security, and superiority. Mr. Sophomore — typically a little lost and nostalgic about the long-lost school down the hill. Security is probably Mr. Junior's ultimate possession — he's not low enough on the ladder to panic and no. 12 is just around the corner; Mr. Senior is the big bird with the golden tail — or so he thinks . . . he's been through the grind enough to keep his cool and now and then he feels entitled to let loose. Everybody's churning toward the massive brown brick gate leading to the post-high school world of hopeful freedom and what-to-do-next. Classes: pretty well the gamut of beginnings and endings. Classes: a tri-layered establishment created for academic answers, progression, and peace of mind. Classes: enter stage left, be active exit stage right.



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THUNDERBIRDS

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BEAT MITCHELL

TOP the S.C.L.

"Boot Camp," "Nutcracker Suite" Compose Gleep Year

"BOOT CAMP" greeted new Gleeps with an obstacle course and cafeteria duties. Junior and senior generals directed camp activities and gave the orders to the sophomores. The many obstacles that confronted the new recruits were a puzzling maze, huge airplane tires, and a water jump. "Reville," the Gleep Leap Dance, climaxed a week of initiation activities for sophomores and officially gave them the title of Thunderbirds.

Proud of their new status, sophomores gained recognition by taking second in the activity ticket sales competition. They also made a fine contribution in the PTA drive by placing second.

"Traveler's Tales," the homecoming pageant, provided a battle ground for the classes with the sophomores placing second in the overall competition.

With the help of Miss Leader and Mr. Davis, sophomore sponsors, members of the class decorated the east wing of the school for Christmas. Using the theme "The Nutcracker Suite," the students decorated the hall with scenes from an eighteenth century town.

As the year came to a close, sophomores looked forward to an even more exciting junior year.

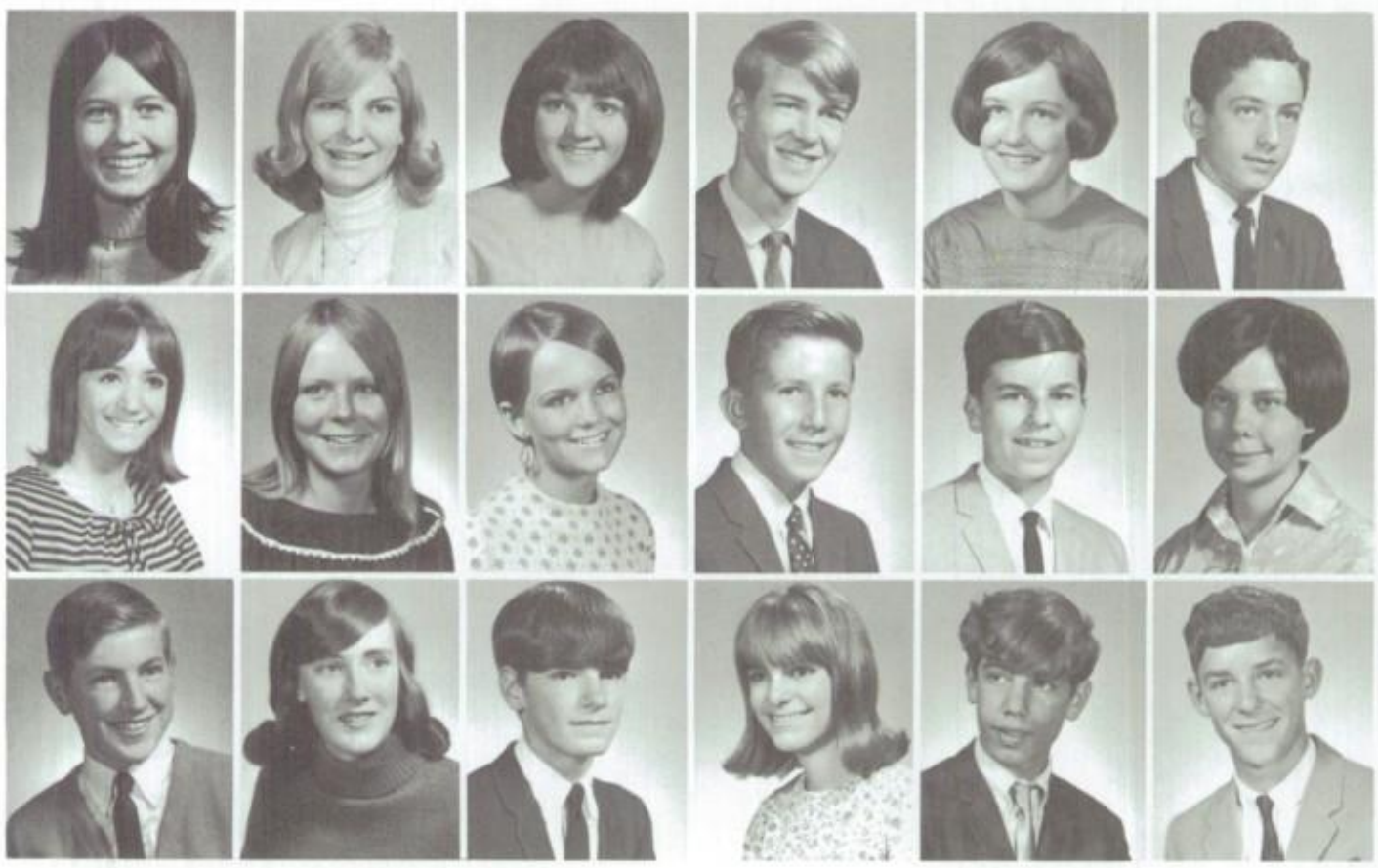
Miss Leader and Mr. Davis, sponsors, help with hall decorations.

Sophomores A-B

Aanonson, Debbie
Adams, Donna
Adams, Suzi
Adamson, Vic
Akers, Julie
Alloway, Tim

Alsaker, Kay
Anderson, Christi
Anderson, Mikki
Andreja, Michael
Anglum, Sean
Aragon, Ginny

Arment, Ted
Arndt, Carol
Austin, Ron
Austin, Tonya
Avalos, Nick
Baan, Bruce



Baile, Steve
Bailey, Cherryl
Baird, Michele
Baker, Sandi
Barber, Shari
Barhite, Judy

Barnes, Gail
Barnes, Marjorie
Barnes, Randall
Barnes, Roger
Bartol, Jon
Bayles, Kim

Beach, Roger
Beals, Debbie
Beals, Patti
Beck, Linda
Bell, Keith
Belt, Candy

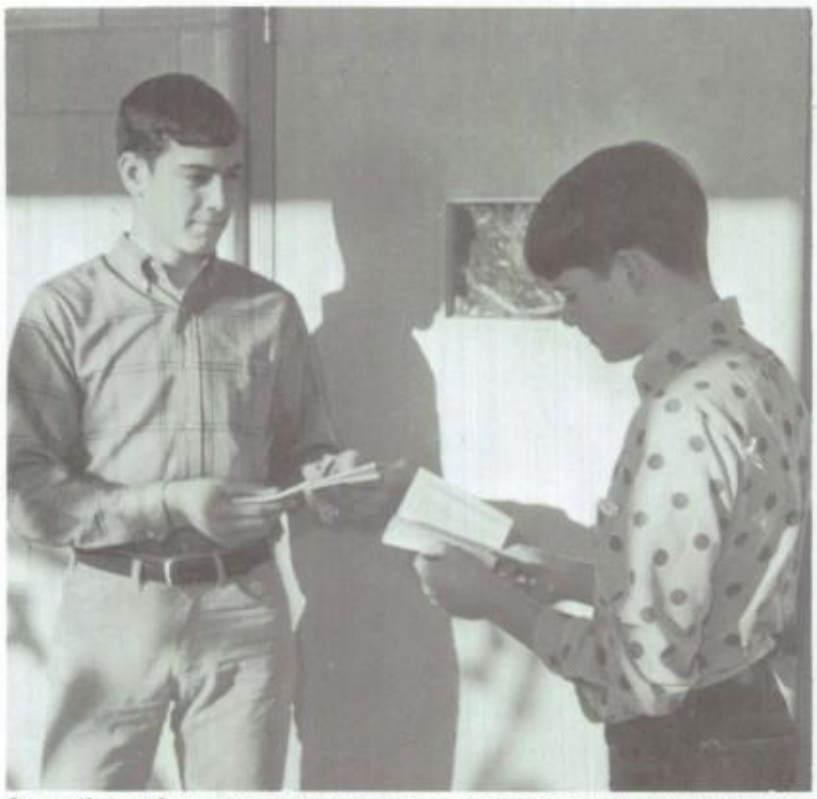
Benson, Marta
Berardi, Gayle
Berends, Doe
Berkeland, Phil
Berry, Phil
Berthrong, Deirdre

Berwick, Debbie
Beyer, Jenny

Beyer, Linda
Blanton, Rick

Blumenstein, Susan
Boals, Carl

Loyal sophomores tediously work on "Nutcracker Suite" decorations.



Council member , Ken Brown sells a "Bird Call" to Roger Beach.

Untangling tinsel for Christmas decorations takes great patience, as Kay Gensicke experiences.

Sophomores

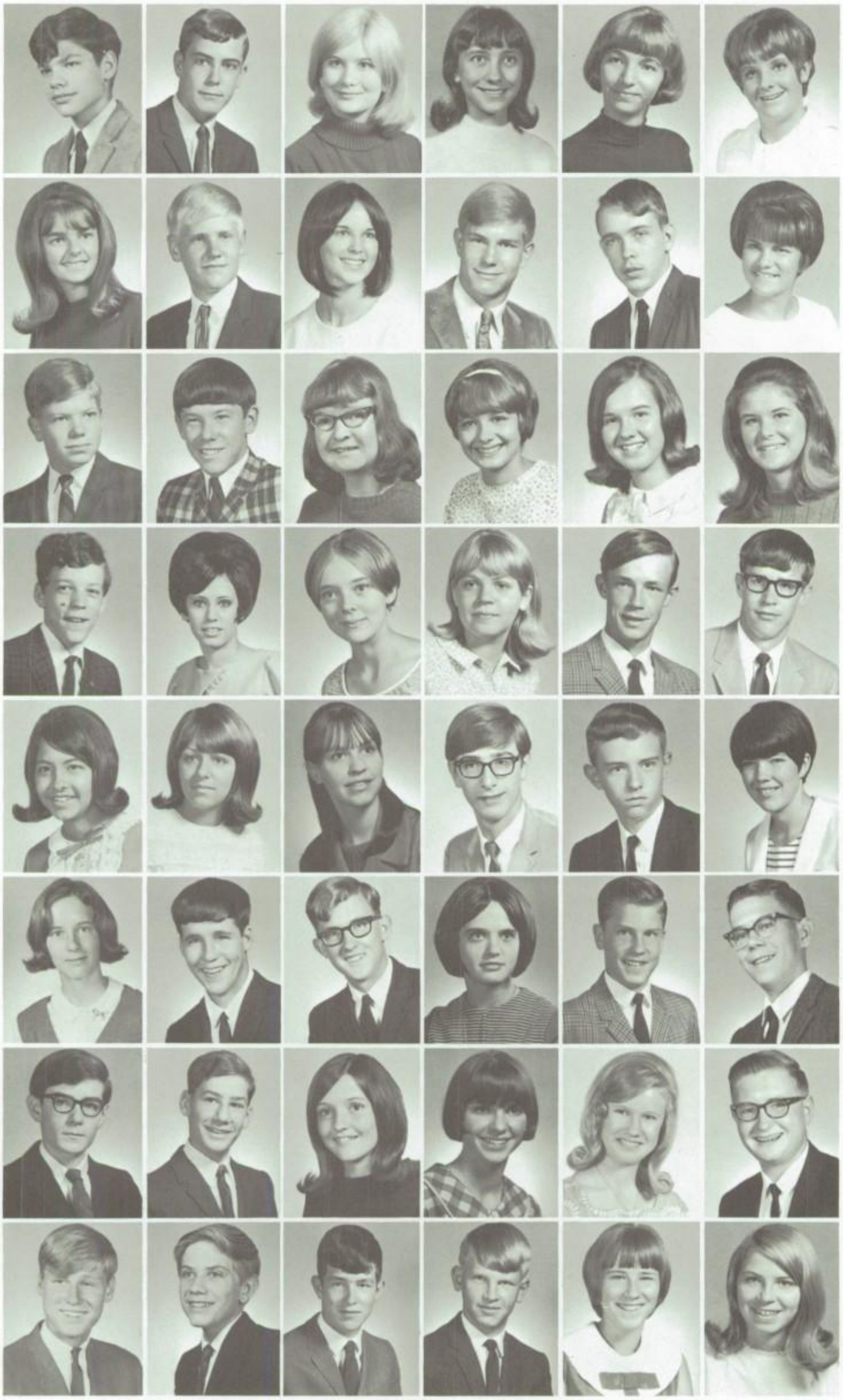
B-D

Boggs, Robert
Bogren, Tim
Bolender, Milo

Bolte, Roger
Bonebrake, Michael
Bonner, Jim
Bouwers, Henriette
Bowman, Richard
Boyd, Susan

Bradshaw, Roger
Bram, Mike
Branberg, Jackie
Branch, Bob
Branch, Houston
Brantley, Joann

Braun, Linda
Bricker, John
Brinkmeier, Beverly
Britt, Don
Broome, Sue
Brotherton, Kathy



Brown, Andy
Brown, Ken
Brown, Pam
Brown, Pat
Browning, Meridyth
Brunkhorst, Karen

Bruski, Marcy
Bryan, Randy
Bryan, Sue
Buckley, Art
Bunting, Andy
Burdine, Blinda

Burgar, Jim
Burgess, Rick
Burns, Sally
Butkovich, Cathy
Campbell, Leslie
Carey, Melissa

Carlson, Mark
Carlson, Trudie
Carmical, Sandi
Carpenter, Ellen
Carver, Gary
Chaussee, Mike

Chavez, Shirley
Christianson, Denise
Claassen, Kathy
Cline, Rod
Coleman, Edward
Coleman, Penny

Connolly, Bridget
Corcoran, Michael
Cosgrove, Jim
Coulson, Nancy
Craft, Bob
Crompton, Jim

Crossey, Danny
Culbertson, Bob
Cunningham, Rae
Cunningham, Ronnie
Daniels, Lana
Daugherty, Tom

Davis, David
Davis, George
de Chadenedes, Mike
Decker, Steve
DeLong, Judy
Depew, Jacquelyn

Dessert, Patricia
Dethloff, Robert
Detty, Roy
Dewitt, Barbara
Dickson, John P.
Doane, Gary

Doerffel, Ed
Doherty, Mike
Dowling, Ken
Downey, Cinda
Doyle, Richard
Draves, Roberta

Drew, Scott
Dudzinski, Randy
Duff, Patrick
Duncan, Debbie Kay
Dunn, Bob
Ebersole, LaRue

Edmonds, Steve
Edwards, Ellen
Eickmier, Sharon
Eiden, Becky
Elliott, Barbara
Ellis, Donald

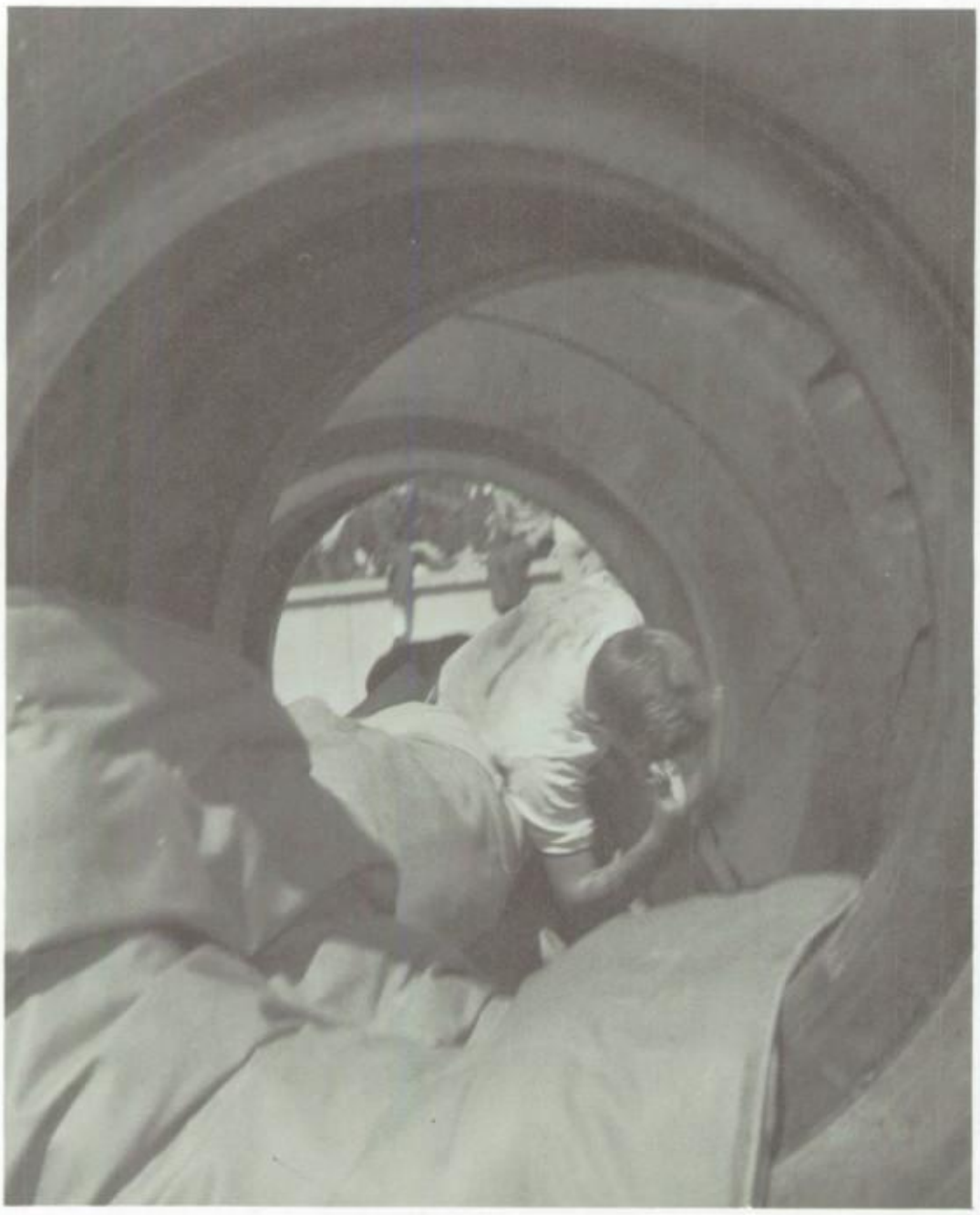
Emdia, Pam
Emery, Brenda
Erdenberg, Stuart
Erickson, Judy
Evangelista, Robert
Everson, Nici

Fagan, Dan
Fast, Bryce
Fenton, Kimbell
Ferguson, Mike
Fetler, Annette
Fife, Marilyn

Filler, Mike
Finlayson, Chris
Finlayson, Judy
Firebaugh, Steve
Flanders, Debbie
Fontecchio, Lesa

Ford, Phil
Fowler, Robert
Frakes, Linda
Freed, Gary
Gagznos, Carolyn
Gaige, Larry

Sophomores D-G



Boot Camp included many tedious tasks, one of which was crawling through an airplane tire.

Gale, Joyce

Gallogly, Jim

Gardner, Cindy

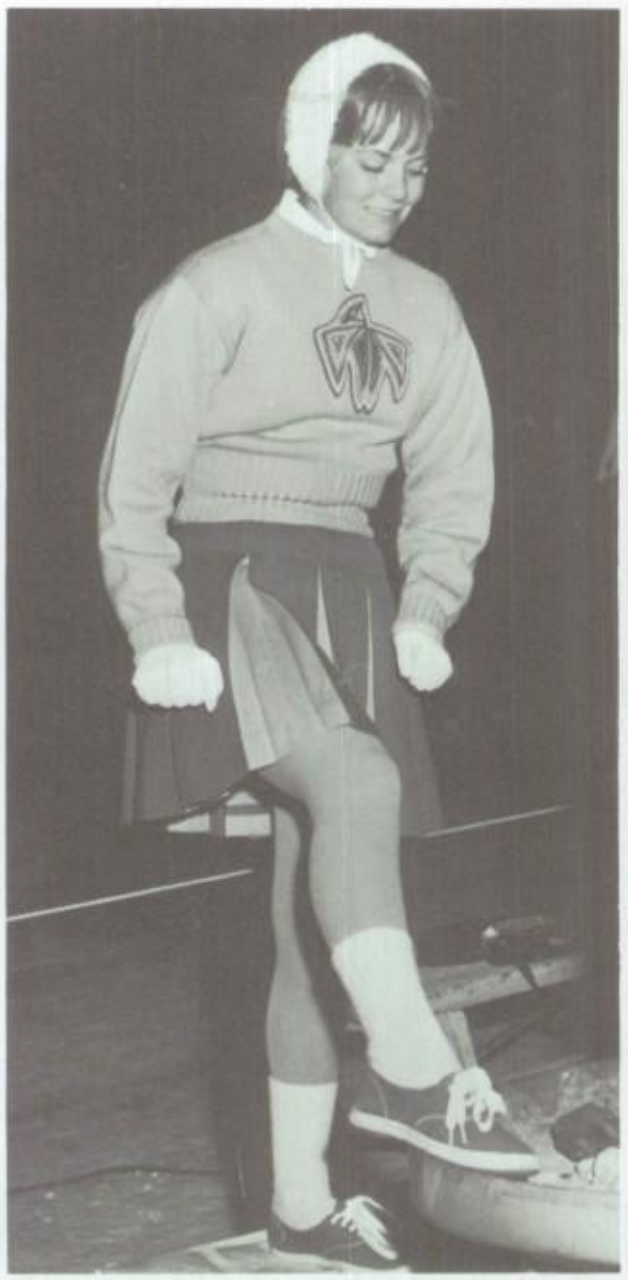
Gardner, Jamie

Gardner, Scott

Garner, Ron
Garriot, Pam
Gaspari, Betty
Gensicke, Kay
George, Karol
Gibson, Bruce

Gibson, Rae
Gilbert, Calvin
Gillen, James
Gillette, Larry
Gladem, DuAnn
Glasser, Larry

Humble Gleeps kneel in obedience to the authority of Chuck Nevius and Rick Patterson.



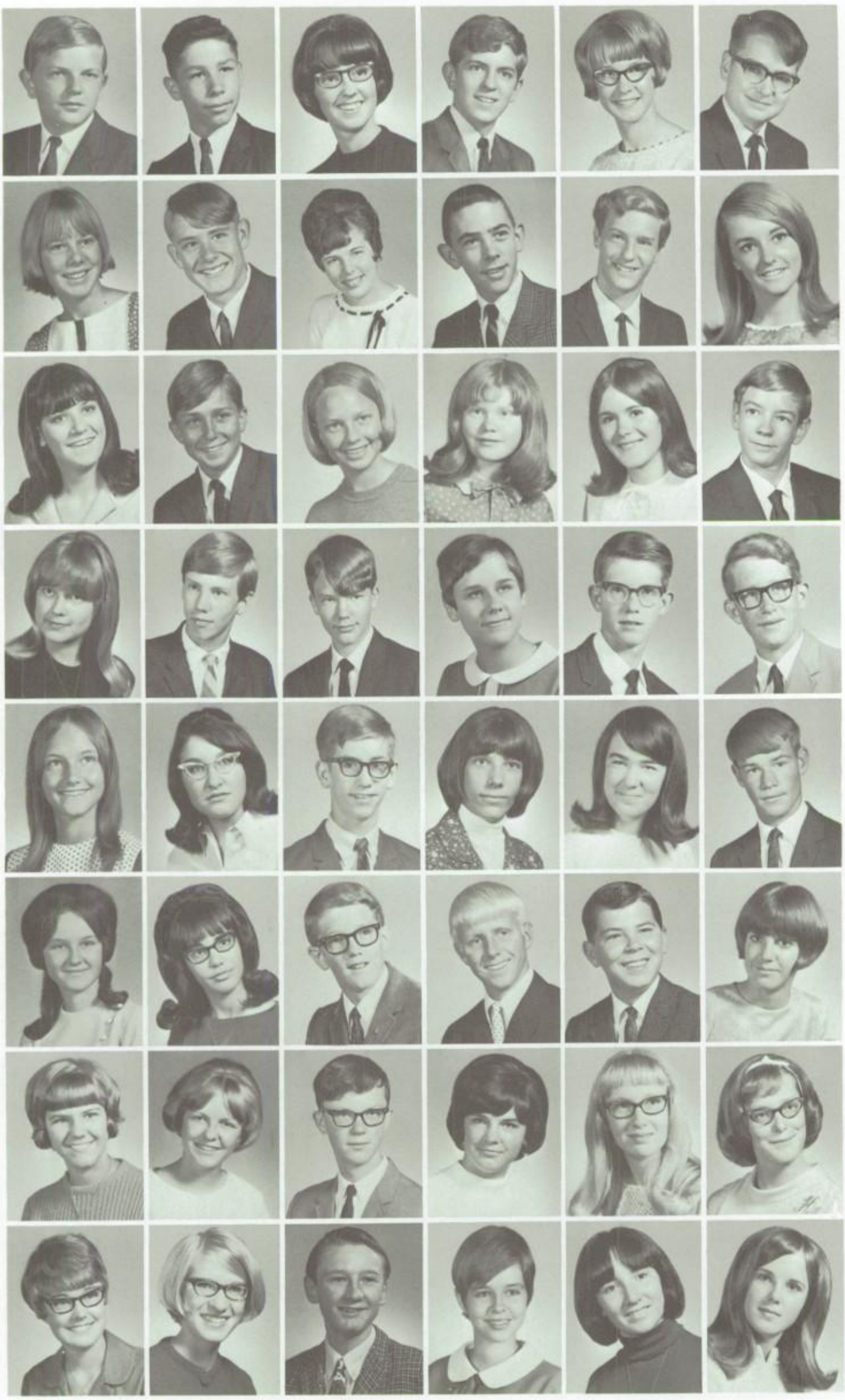
Sophomores G – J

Golden, Danny
Goodale, Becky
Goodbar, Joan

Goodwin, Becky
Gordon, Roxanne
Grady, Richard
Graham, Deborah
Graves, Scott
Greasley, Philip

Greene, Bill
Greer, Cathy
Griffin, Beth
Gross, Randy
Guyot, Margie
Hackathorn, Ann

Hamilton, Nancy
Hansen, Janet
Hanson, Kathy
Hardin, Keith
Hardwicke, Buddy
Harper, Connie



Harris, Tom
Harrison, Rickie
Hartman, Nora
Harvey, Ken
Hast, Susan
Haug, Paul

Haydis, Cris
Hayhurst, David
Haynie, Melody
Hays, Tom
Hein, Rory
Helfrich, Vonn

Hendren, Pat
Hesselberg, Steve
Heyse, Patty
Hiatt, Cheryl
Hill, Cathy
Hodge, Gary

Holleran, Nancy
Holm, Harold
Hook, Steve
Horehled, Sara
Horn, Ken
Houston, Sam

Hover, Dianne
Howe, Donna
Howells, Robert
Hrebenar, Joyce
Hughes, Ann
Hughes, Steve

Huisenga, Debra
Hull, Elizabeth
Hurst, Dennis
Imhoff, Loren
Isham, Garry
Isley, Claudia

Ivey, Nita
Jaloszynski, JoAnn
James, Don
Jeffries, Melissa
Jensen, Debra
Jensen, Kathleen

Jett, Mary
Johnson, Chrissy
Johnson, Dan
Johnson, Debbie
Johnson, Ethel
Johnson, Jerri

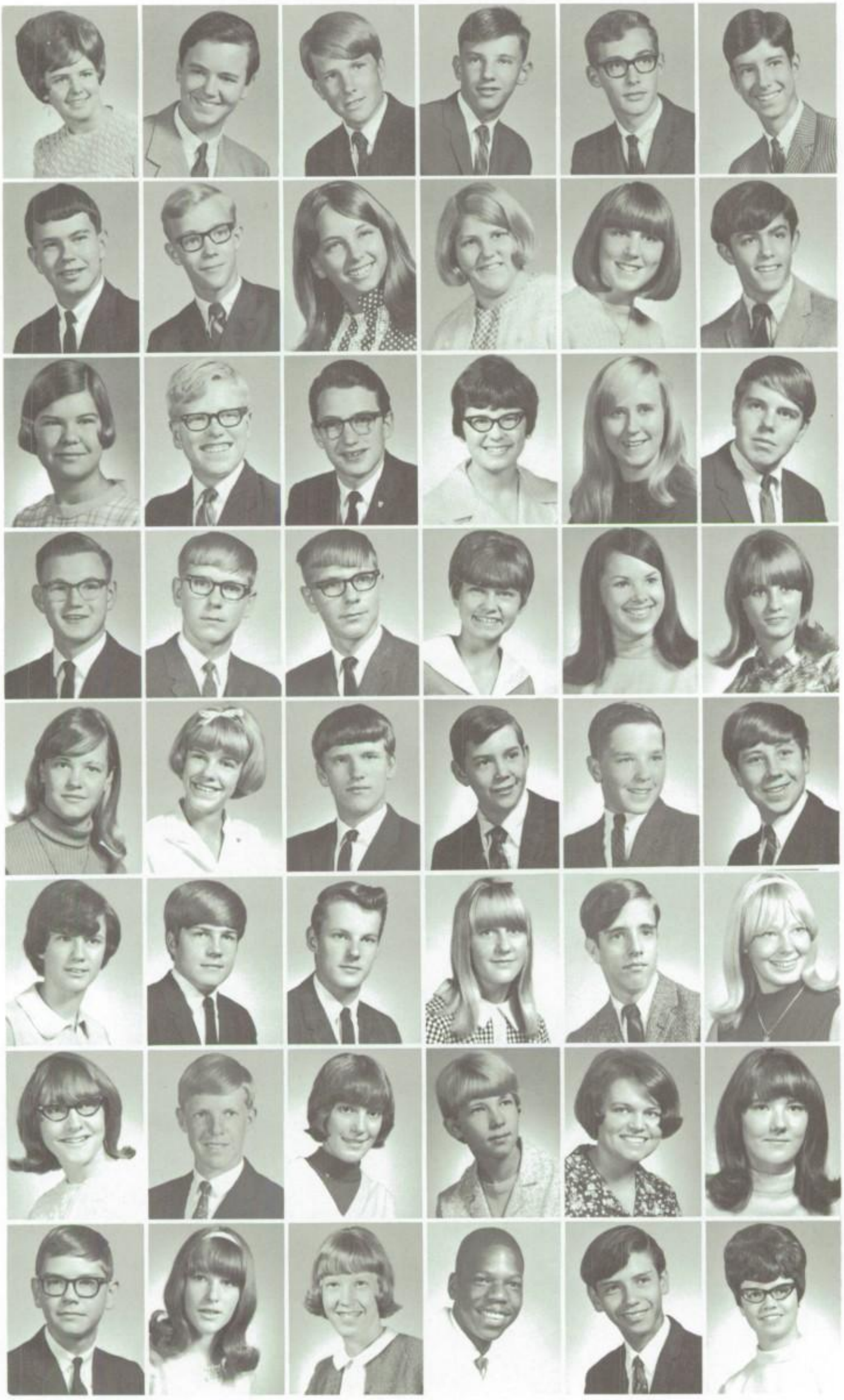
Sophomores J-M

Jenny Beyer looks at several styles of class rings before making a decision on her favorite one.

Johnson, Kenton
Johnson, Larry
Jones, Don
Jones, Jeff

Jordan, Gary
Julian, Margaret
Junge, Brent
Karper, Mary
Katz, Rae
Keeton, Steve

Keleher, Richard
Kelsey, Colette
Kerley, Susie
Kerns, Sherry
Kerr, Ralph
Kerr, Scott



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King, Bill
King, Geoff
Kirschenman, Dennis
Kiser, Rick
Knisely, Bill

Knox, Bob
Knudsen, Richard
Kraft, Kathy
Kraft, Sharon
Krueger, Barbara
Kuenning, Bill

Kupfer, Mary
LaBonte, Roy
Lakey, John
Lance, Kathy
Lanckriet, Linda
Langman, Marlo

Langowski, Ted
Lavalleur, Gary
Lavalleur, Jerry
Law, Jonna
Ledbetter, Gini
Lemons, Carla

Lewis, Sharron
Lindsay, Jennilee
Lindsey, Layne
Liston, Larry
Lohman, Dave
Long, Terry

Lorenz, Gail
Lowder, Tom
Lucas, Jim
Lukaszewicz, Corna
Lynch, Chris
Mackey, Pam

Madden, Kem
Mallgren, Tony
Maloney, Kathy
Manchester, Candy
Maples, Roberta
Marcovich, Kay

Marek, John
Marion, Debbie
Martin, Cindy
Martin, Lee
Martinez, Ray
Mason, Kay

Mason, Terry
Matthews, John
Mautz, Wayne
Maxson, Deanna
MacCorquodale, Corkey
McCann, Mary

McClatchey, Patsy
McClure, Sue
McCord, Carol
McCoy, Randy
McCullough, Mike
McCurdy, Don

McDowell, Kristin
McFarland, Cindy
McFarlin, Steve
McGee, Gloria
McGhee, Barney
McGuire, Serena

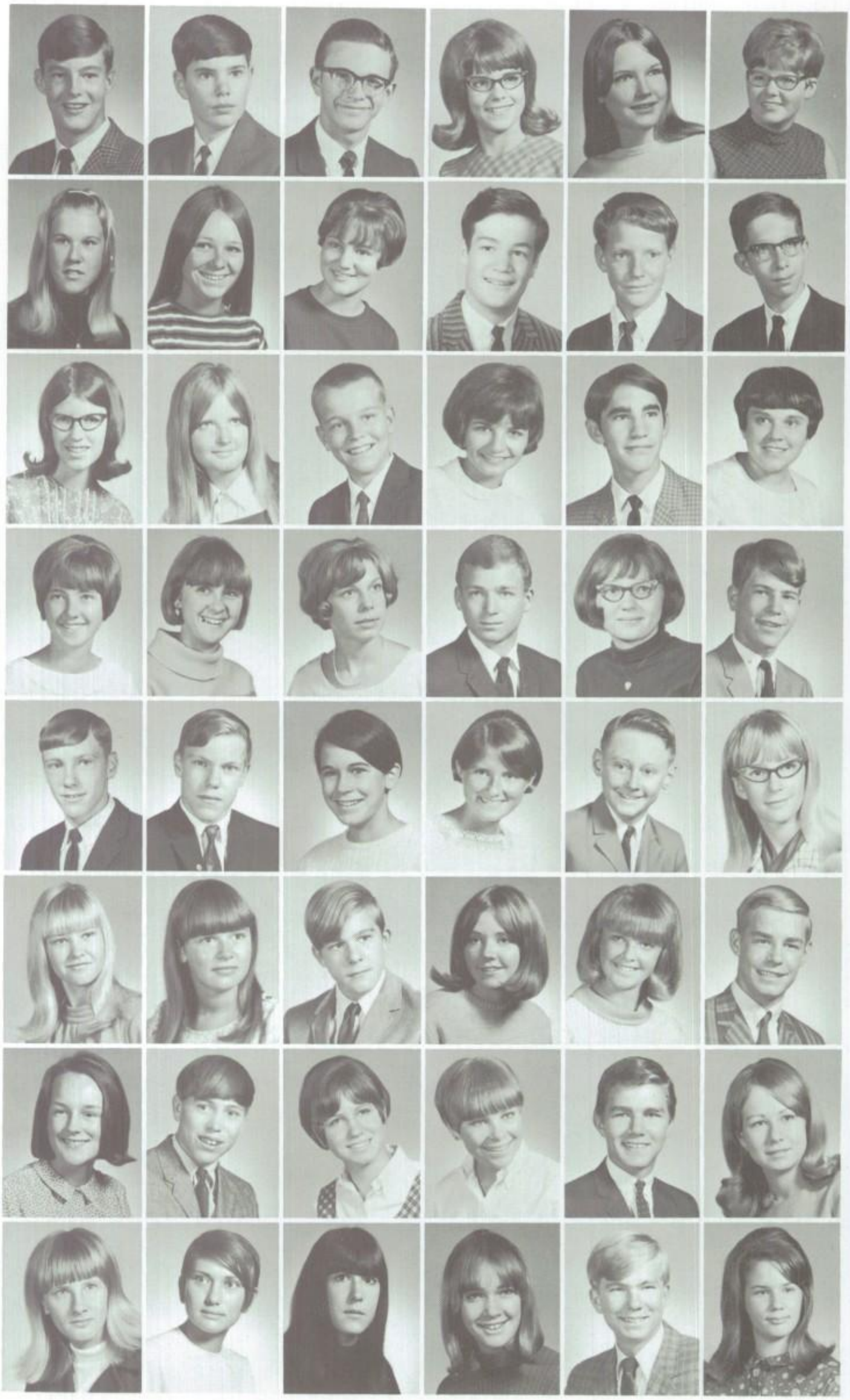
McNall, Linda
McWhirt, Georgia
Meadows, Kathy
Meadows, Terry
Meyer, Nanette
Mickle, Chris

Miles, Joe
Miller, Galen
Miller, Kathy
Miller, Vicky
Mills, Ken
Mock, Kathy

Moehring, Sandy
Moore, Wanda
Moores, Steve
Morris, Glenda
Moseley, Barbara Ann
Mott, Jerry

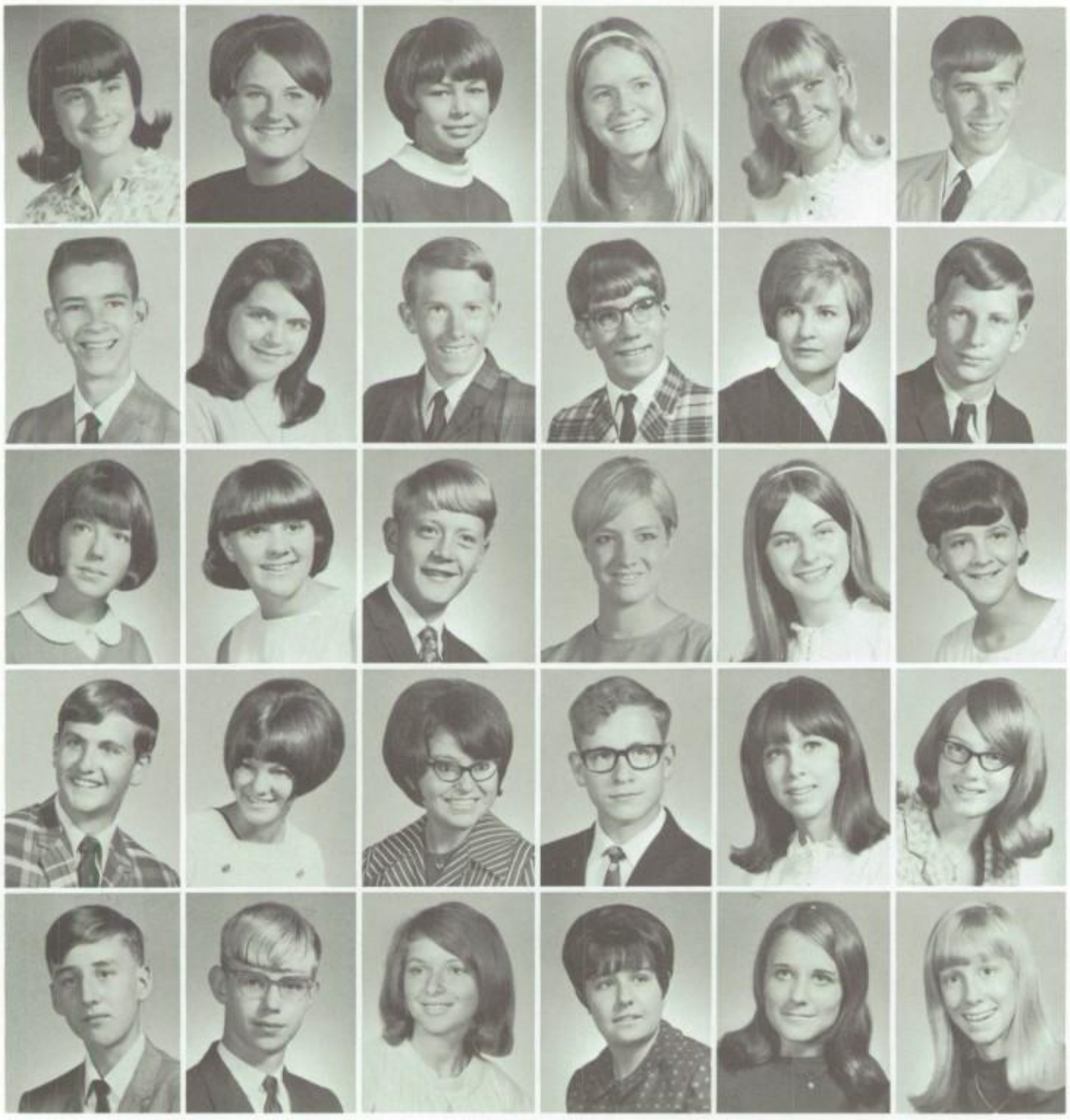
Moulton, Laurie
Mueller, Don
Muir, Doris
Mullison, Becky
Myers, Dave
Nagle, Carolyn

Nanninga, Patty
Napoletan, Jill
Nash, Shelley
Nelson, Camille
Nelson, Jeff
Nelson, Linda



Sophomores M – P

Showing great enthusiasm for their class, Sophomore girls cheer for victory in the homecoming class competition.



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Nichols, Angela
Nielsen, Janell
Nielsen, Rae
Nifnecker, Terri
Nitka, Al

Norman, Bruce
Northup, Thelma
Norton, Ken
Nuttall, Charley
Odneal, Nancy
O'Donnell, John D.

Oliver, Karol
Olmstead, Debbie
Olson, Scott
Oostdyke, Gina
Orr, Pam
Osban, Kathy

Osborn, Jim
Osterholt, Kathy
Padilla, JoAnne
Parker, Bob
Parker, Rosemarie
Pattee, Nancy

Patton, Ed
Patzel, Gary
Paulk, Roxie
Pavlica, Debbie
Payne, June
Pierce, Joan

Sophomores P – S

Pierson, Gary
Pioth, Dee Dee

Plowman, Debbie
Poch, John

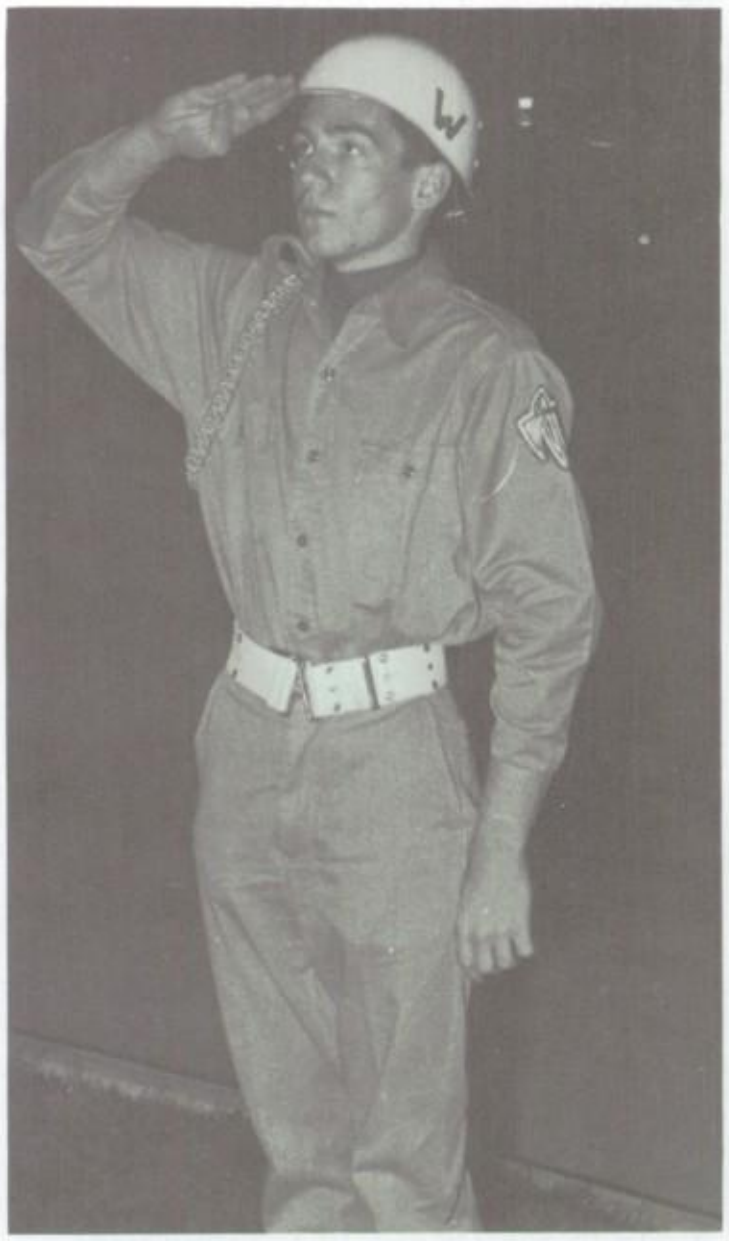
Ponting, Pami
Pope, Dennis

Powell, Martin
Powers, Marilyn

Price, Peggy
Proctor, Terry

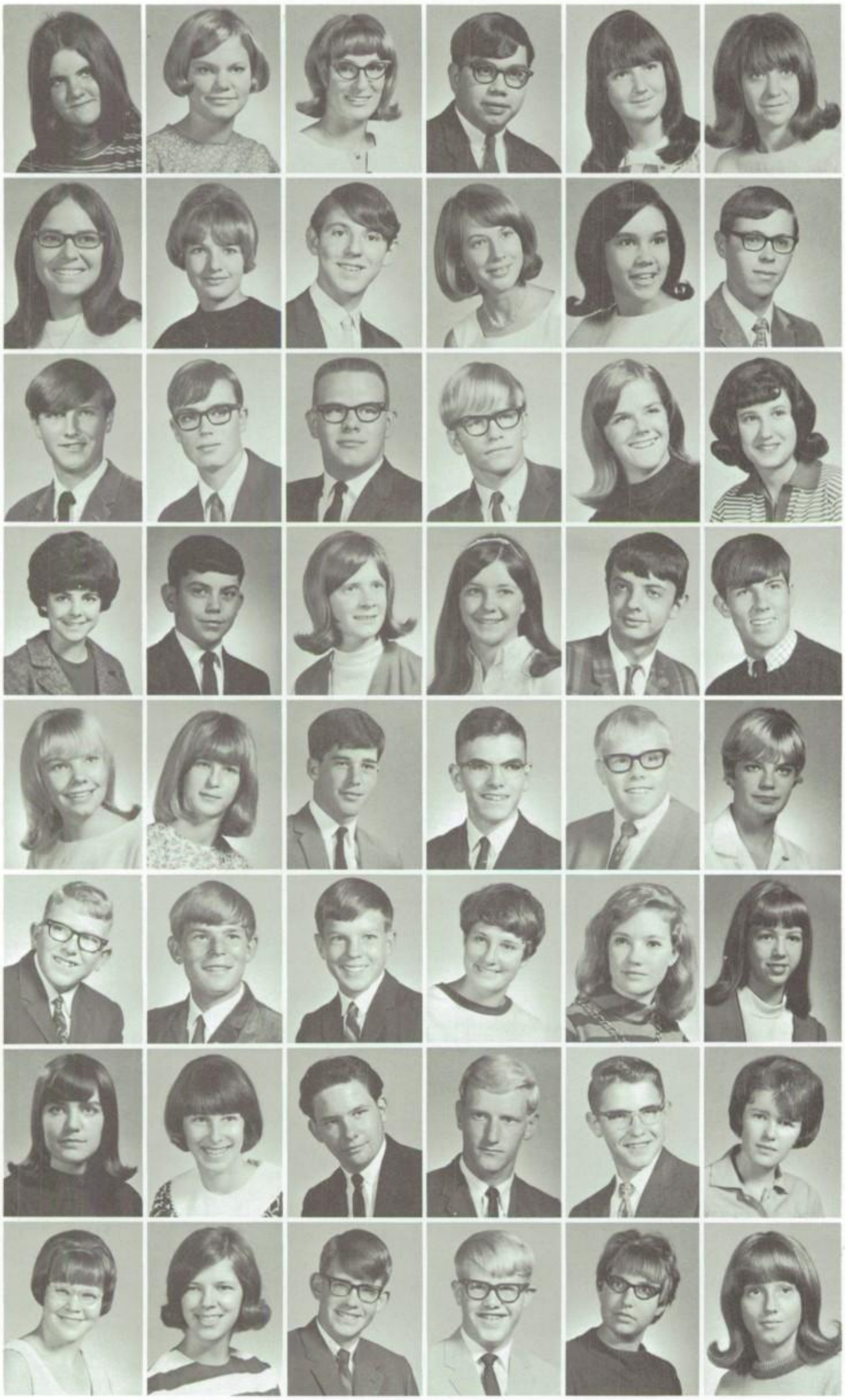
Purcell, Jolene
Quinn, Patty

Quintana, Nadine
Rains, Doug



Saluting the flag, Randy Barnes, a member of the color guard, represents the sophomore class.

Sophomore class vice-president Larry Glasser, and President Roger Beach participate in decorating the goal posts.



Ranals, Linda
Rasmussen, Janet
Redinger, Linda
Reed, Dennis
Restivo, Debbie
Rex, Suzanne

Ripley, Sue
Roadifer, Sharon
Robbins, Don
Robinson, Elaine
Rodgers, Denise
Rodman, Jay

Roecker, Bill
Roesler, Paul
Roettjer, David
Rogers, Stan
Rogers, Susan
Rohrig, Lee

Romano, Joanne
Romano, Mike
Rose, Rita
Ross, Mary
Roth, Walter
Rouse, Jim

Ruppert, Janet
Rzepka, Kathy
Sanderson, Duncan
Schmidt, Bill
Schmidt, Fred
Schomaker, Susan

Scoggan, Jim
Sedgley, Tim
Seibel, Gordon
Selby, Sandy
Sewell, Linda
Shaw, Susan

Shelton, Joyce
Sherer, Gayle
Short, Randy
Sigmund, Jerald
Simco, Mike
Simmeth, Sharleen

Simmons, Darlene
Simpson, Brenda
Skjoldahl, Frank
Skovgaard, John
Slagle, Gerri
Smith, Jackie

Smith, Joan
Smith, Lynda
Smith, Paul
Smith, Robert
Sneiderman, Jim
Snow, Ray

Steele, Walter
Steinkirchner, Ronnie
Stephens, Tom
Stevens, Sandra
Stickel, Dave
Stock, Debbie

Stoller, Randy
Straziscar, Debby
Sudduth, Dan
Sullivan, Tim
Swankowski, Patricia
Swanson, Doug

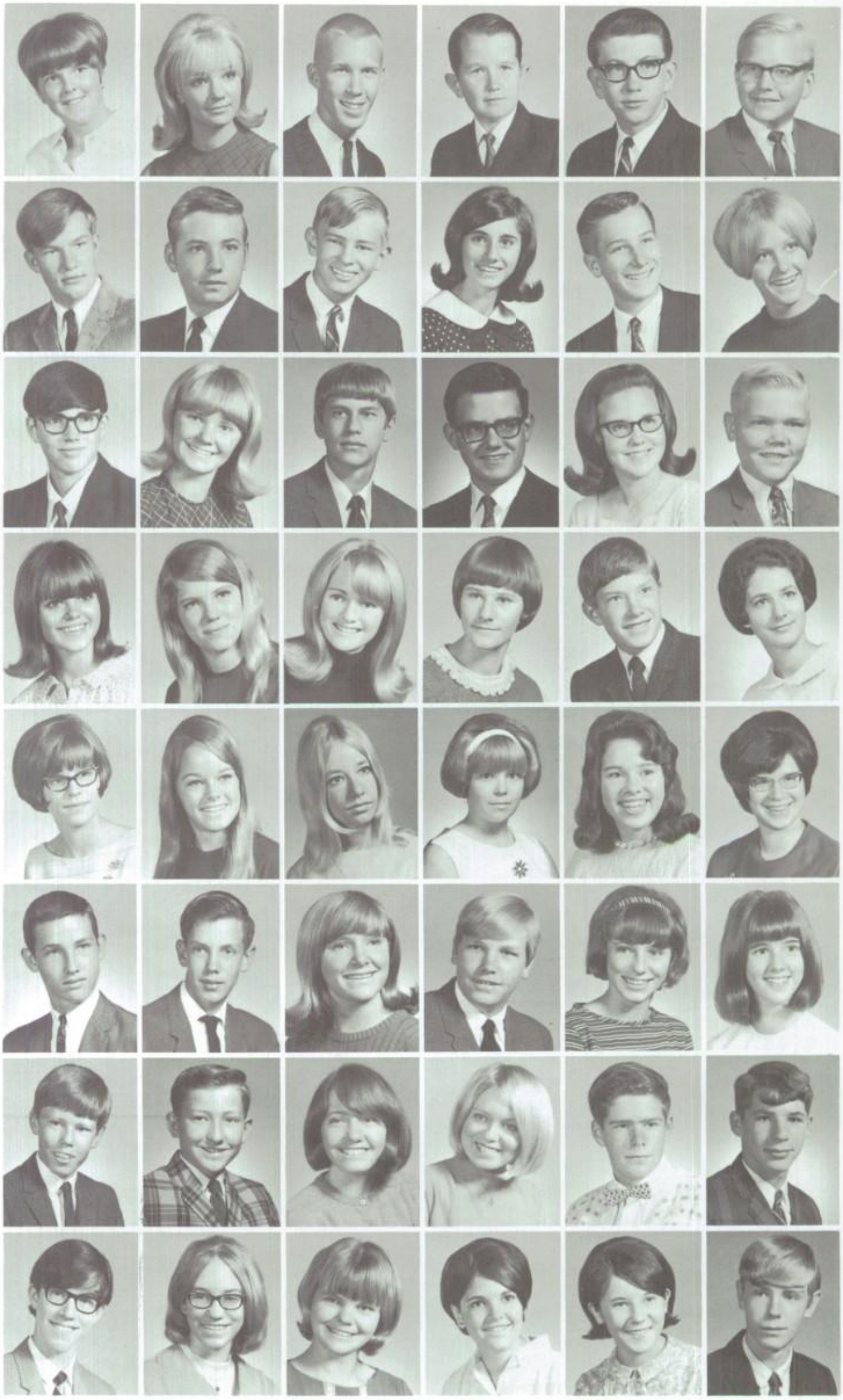
Swanson, Peggy
Swayne, Kathy
Sweanor, Valerie
Switzer, Susan
Tate, Jay
Taylor, Cindy

Terwilliger, Merriedawn
Tewell, Marcia
Thiel, Becky
Thomas, Jan
Thompson, Donna
Throckmorton, Brenda

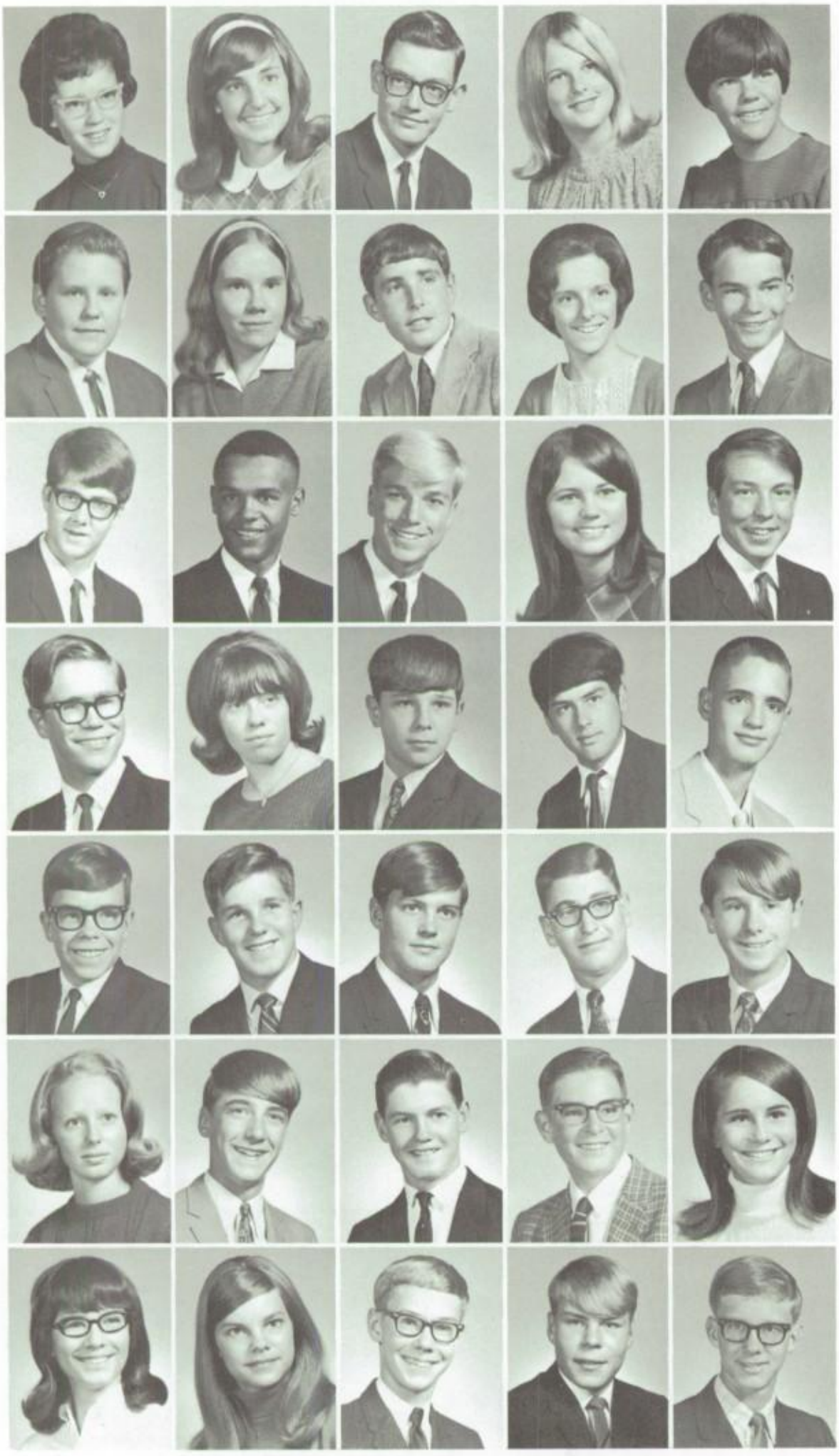
Thrutchley, Mike
Tighe, Tom
Timmerman, Cheryl
Titus, Steven
Toothman, Ann
Travis, Denise

Trisler, Ron
Trull, John
Tucker, Judy
Turnbaugh, Jar.
Turpin, Rusty
Tyree, Dave

Urban, Albie
Vanaman, Casandra
Vande Voorde, Janey
Volan, Barb
Vollbracht, Linda
Voyles, Georglee



Sophomores S-Z



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Walter, Jim
Walters, Debbie
Warde, Diana

Warner, Brian
Warren, Carol
Wear, Steve
Webb, Cynthia
Weed, Mike

Wheeler, Robbie
White, Junior
Whitmire, Bill
Wichman, Debbie
Wildenstein, David

Wilder, Michael
Wilkes, Charlotte
Wilkinson, Jeff
Williams, Duane
Williams, Ken

Williams, Rick
Wills, Hoyt
Wilson, Bob
Wilson, Jim
Wilson, Scott

Wilson, Susan
Winne, Ron
Wright, Dan
Wright, Greg
Wright, Wendy

Yohn, Karen
York, Janice
Young, Dave
Zinn, Jeff
Zoellner, Jay

Junior Class Outstanding in School Life and Athletics

UNDER THE leadership of John Knippers and Doug Spears, the Junior Class activities reflected much enthusiasm. Juniors participated in Homecoming, at which the student body witnessed a hard fought effort to try to unseat the seniors. Gleep Week, intramurals, hall decorations, Sno-Ball, and the Prom, all played an important part in the new-found life of the Junior Class.

Athletics also played a major part of junior life. Mike Bennett, All-S.C.L. in football, Gary Loveless, All-State in tennis, Dan McClure, outstanding wrestler, and Doug Spears, captain of the 1968 football team, typified their spirit.

Juniors were aided in this rapid progression by sponsors Miss Casperson and Mr. Smith.

Representing Wasson's Junior Class was the task of John Knippers and Mr. Smith, back row, Miss Casperson and Doug Spears, seated.

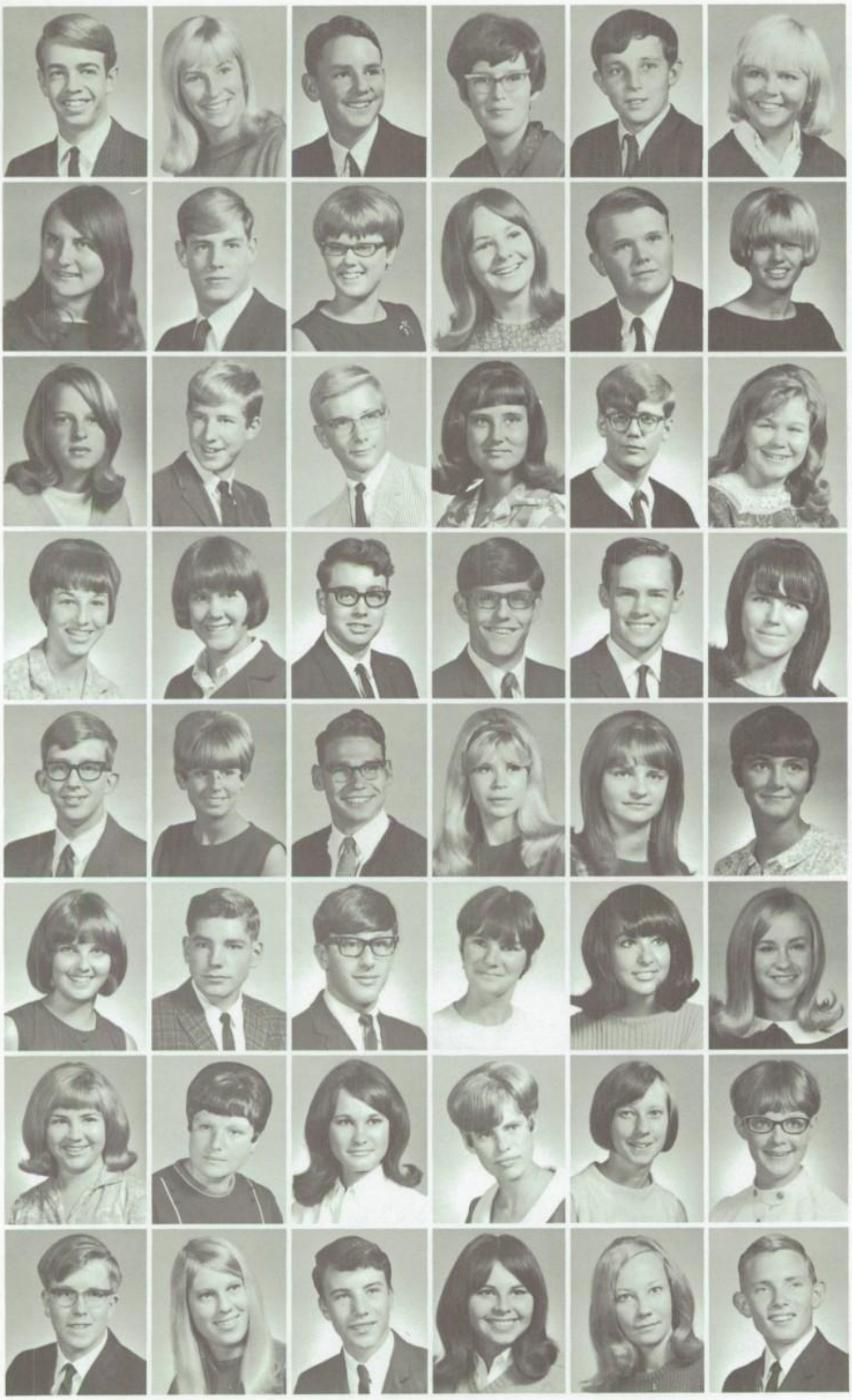
Juniors A-C

Aalbu, Gene
Adams, Calvin
Aguilar, Mickey
Akers, Jerry
Alleman, Barbara
Allen, Bonny

Allen, Jane
Allen, June
Ancona, Carla
Anderson, Jacque
Anderson, Jane
Anderson, Sharon

Archibald, Wes
Arend, Debbie
Arnold, Lea
Ault, Carl
Baile, Susan
Bailey, Dianne E.

Bailey, Eddy
Bailey, Laura
Baker, Mike
Bales, Tami Jo
Balliett, Les
Barnes. Beverly



Barrett, Doug
Bartley, Diana
Bauch, Tom
Beals, Cheryl
Beals, Doug
Belcher, Christy

Bell, Candy
Bennett, Mike
Bjorndahl, Tani
Blasing, Bette
Bloss, Dennis
Bogart, Carol

Boone, Kathy
Borden, Larkin
Bostrom, Steve
Boyd, Renee
Brauer, Mike
Bresci, Barb

Brooks, Paula
Brotherton, Pattie
Brown, Jim
Bruce, Dave
Bryan, Gary
Bryant, Diane

Buckingham, Richard
Bunce, Pat
Burdine, Jackie
Burk, Mary
Burns, Jeanine
Butler, Sherry

Buzbee, Lynne
Caesar, Ray
Camilli, Greg
Campbell, Sue
Carlley, Karen
Casey, Sally

Cash, Lynne
Censner, Christine
Ceuleers, Lynn
Chariton, Kathy
Cheesewright, Bonnie
Christian, Kim

Christiansen, Darrell
Christman, Mary
Cimino, Mike
Cisneros, Terry
Claborn, Vicki
Cleek, Tom

Juniors
C – G

Cobb, Colleen
Colbert, Colleen
Cole, Betty
Collier, Dave
Combs, Alan

Conger, Donna
Connolly, Janet
Conwill, Linda
Copeland, Christine
Corcoran, Pat
Cotton, Richard

Coulson, Mary
Craig, Rick
Craker, Lee
Crew, Cheryl
Crider, Don
Crow, John

Crow, Mary
Culp, Karen
Cummings, John
Cummins, Bob
Damico, Jamie
Davidson, Dana

Davidson, Debbie
Davis, Sandra
Davison, Sue
DeFelice, Steve
DeLashmutt, Jayne
DeLuke, Lona

DeMark, Tony
DeMark, Jim
Dennis, Alan
Dickerson, Bob
Dickson, Bobby
Dieter, Dave

Doane, Kathy
Donahue, Jeanie
Dopp, Susan
Dreger, Brian
Drobny, Dave
Duarte, Bernie

Duden, Dave
Dunmire, Sonja
Eckley, Barbara
Edgar, Carolyn
Eheman, Cheryl
Eichelberger, Lacretia

Junior Mary Ann McCarty is shown requesting a song during lunch period from Wasson's disc jockeys, John Van Der Wege and Charleen Kelly.

Ela, Richard
Elson, Linda

Emanuelson, Jerilyn
Engle, Janette

Erickson, Jim
Erwin, Jan

Erwin, Randy
Evans, Melvin D.

Everson, Donald
Firebaugh, Cindy
Fischer, Dennis
Flannigan, Kelly
Fleener, Vicki
Fontana, Lynn

Ford, George
Foster, Deanne
Fowler, Sharon
Fries, Karen
Gallogly, Michael
Gandee, Viki

Gandy, Roger
Gann, Katherine
Garl, Jeff
Gehrung, Priscilla
Gelvin, Felisha
Geneste, Nicole

George, Marvin L.
Gibson, Melody
Gifford, Patti
Gill, Jane
Gill, Janet
Gilmere, Sheila

Juniors G – H

Glimpse, Brenda
Gonzales, Marie

Goodale, Tracy
Gordon, Mickey

Gourley, Polly
Grant, Earl

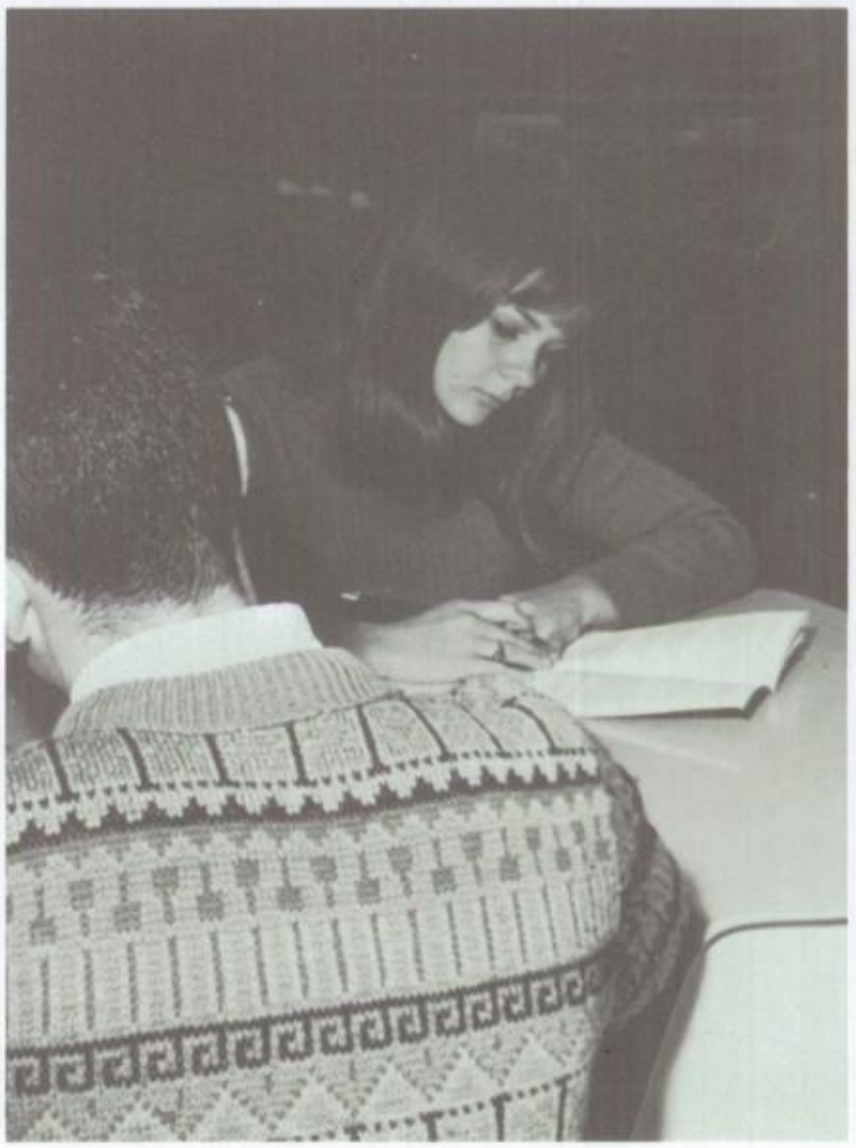
Greenfield, Chari
Greer, Pat

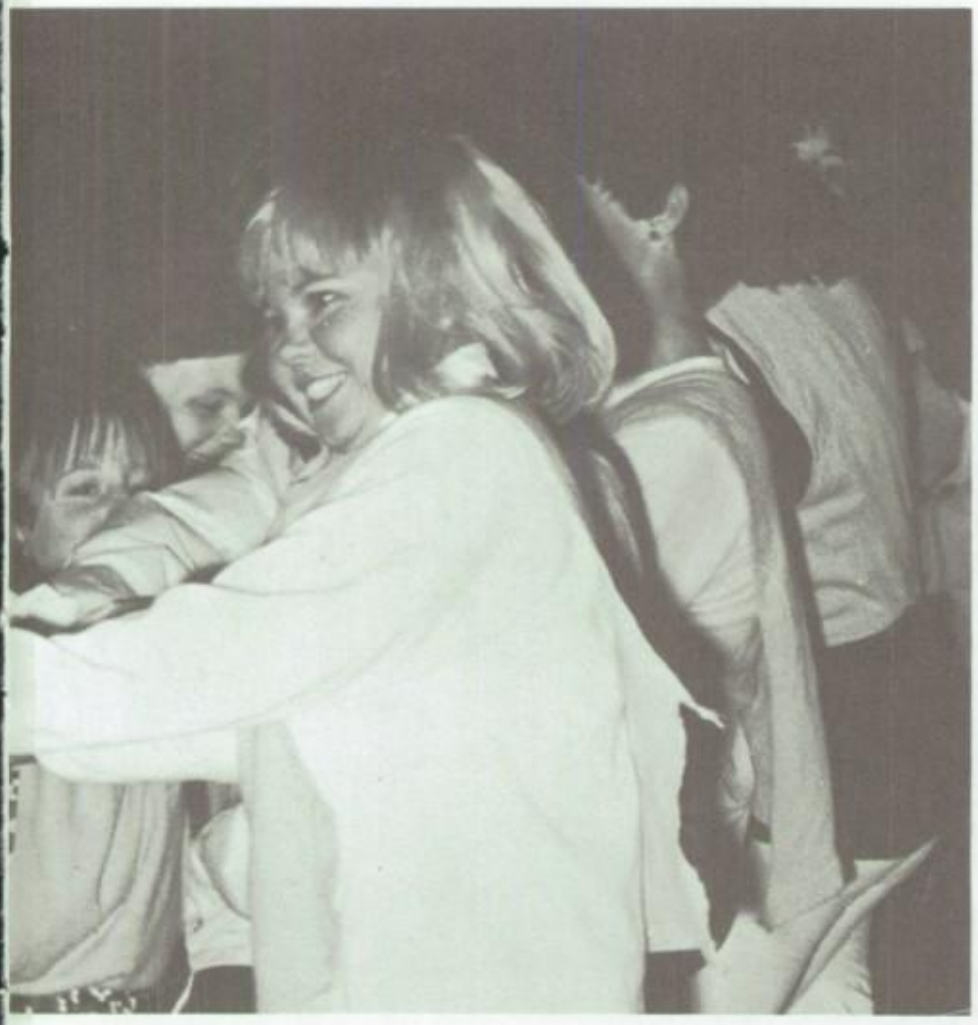
Gresh, Beth
Gribble, Pat

Griesemer, David
Griest, Mary

Groeneveld, Cheryl
Guerrero, Linda J.

Preparing for college exams, juniors Bette Blasing and Richard Schanberger utilize knowledge and ability in taking PSAT tests in October.





Smiles adorn the faces of Wasson juniors in spite of inevitable defeat.

Hackett, Pat
Hadden, Mark

Hadix, Carole
Haeseler, John

Hagopian, Jill
Hague, Jane

Harper, Shirley
Harris, Ron

Harrison, Barb
Harrison, Jim
Hartley, Ian
Hatcher, Dave
Hein, Debbie
Hekkers, Sharon

Helbig, Deborah
Hendrix, Tony
Henson, John
Hewitt, Kathy
Heyse, Cindy
Hicks, Gail

Higdon, Dave
Higgins, Martha
Higginson, Ann
Hildebrand, Kathy
Hildebrand, Skipper
Hofmann, Jerry

Hogg, Bob
Hoit, Steve
Holcomb, Doris
Holien, Pat
Hollingsworth, Alan
Holmes, Linda

Horn, Jan
Howell, Verla
Howells, Jean
Hoyt, Betty
Hudek, Anthony J.
Huffman, Marcy

Hughes, Jonny
Hull, Donna R.
Hurley, Pamela
Hurst, Candace
Hutte, John
Ike, Richard

Inks, Thomas
Ireland, John
Jackson, Lola
Jacobs, Pat
Jamison, Mike
Jardine, Debbie

Jensen, Doug
Johnson, Cherri
Johnson, Ellen
Johnson, Harry
Johnson, Sue
Joiner, Don

Jones, Lawrence
Jones, Reg
Julian, Donna
Karpa, Leonora

Kaufman, Wayne
Kean e, Barry
Keasey, Karon
Kellogg, Chris

Kendrick, David
Kennedy, Darcy
King, Charlotte
King, John

Kirkland, Debbie
Kirkpatrick, Cito
Kirschenman, Kaye
Kistler, Joyce

Juniors H – L

Kizk, Kathy
Kleager, Chris
Klusener, Bill

Knipp, Jim
Knippers, John
Knoeckel, Nancy
Knox, Richard
Knudsen, Becky
Koch, Terry

Kohler, Karen
Kuperus, Diann
Kyer, Linda
Lamar, Gaye
Landes, Alan
Lange, Melinda

Langseth, Jene
Layton, Phil
Leasure, Richard
Lenz, George
Lester, Joe
Levad, Dan

Levad, Doug
Lewis, DeWayne
Lile, Brenda

Link, Carole
Litchfield, Pat
Lohman, Rick

Londagin, Susan
Long, Guy

Wasson juniors get an insight into the life of a sardine during class competition.

Juniors L-O

Priscilla Gehrung touches up a poster for Christmas hall decorations.

Long, Kathy
Long, Patt

Lonsford, Bill
Loveless, Gary

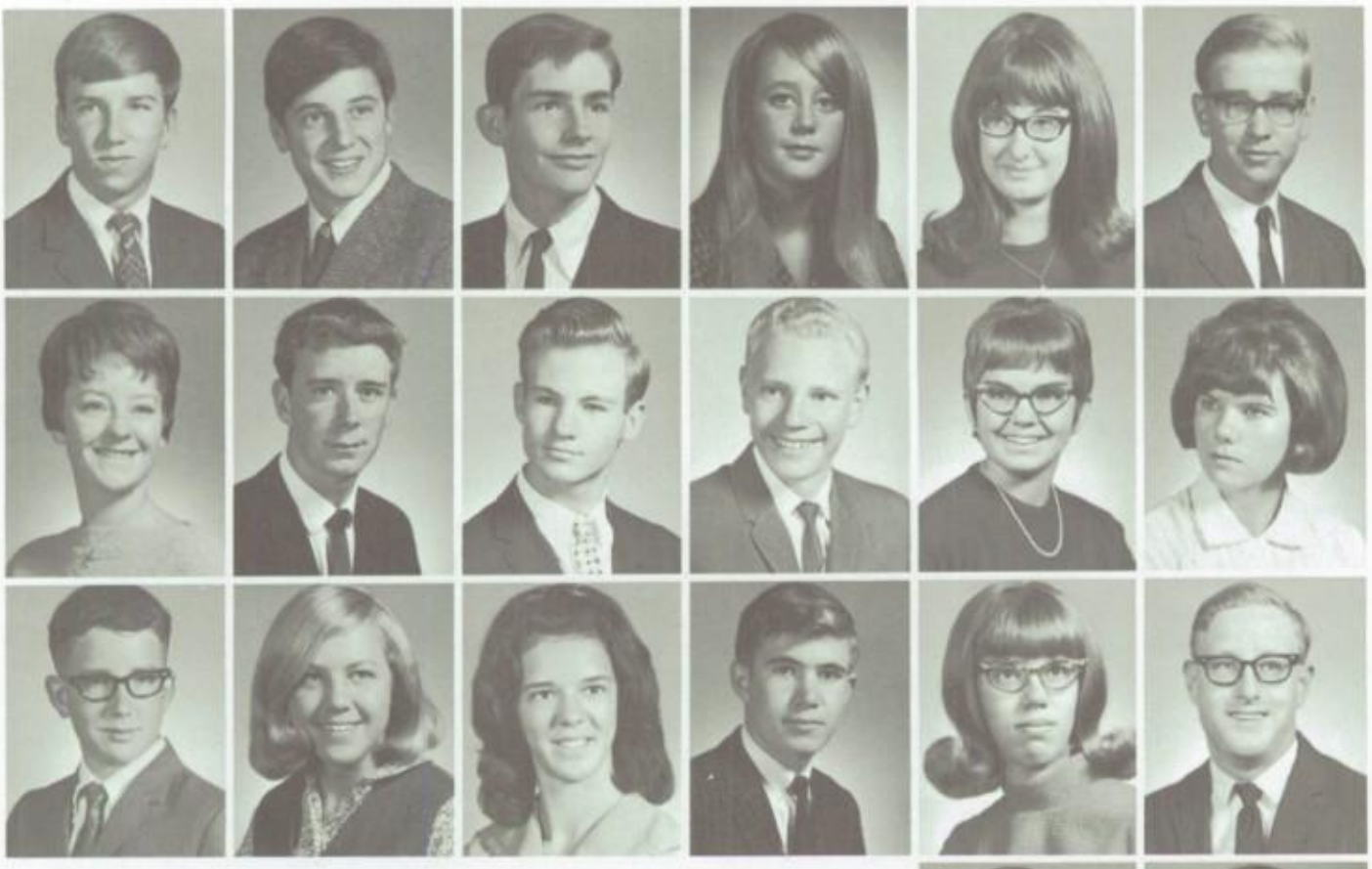
Lukaszewicz, Michelle
Luna, Cecil John
Luque, Pat
Lynch, Kathy
MacFarlane, Mark B.
MacIver, Robbie

Magnuson, Joe
Marander, Carol
Mart, Phillis
Martin, Karan
Martin, Paul W.
Martinez, Cindy

Matthews, Grant
Maxson, Richard
McAdam, Randy
McAllister, Charles
McAllister, Sherry
McCarty, Mary Ann

McClain, Lou Anna
McClow, Sheila
McCullough, Nancy
McCusker, Johanna
McFee, Mary
McKay, Pat

McKeever, Chris
McKeever, Linda
McKelfresh, Dave
McKenzie, Richard
McMillen, Judy
McVay, Jeff



Melanson, Dave
Merkert, Georgey
Metcalf, Chris
Metcalf, Sabre
Metheny, Jan
Michaelis, Stanley

Miller, Kris
Milliken, Gene
Mitchell, Chris
Moldenhauer, Tom
Molsberry, Vicki
Moore, Evette

Morgan, Paul
Morris, Susan
Morton, June C.
Moschetti, Randy
Moulton, Sharon
Mowder, Jett

Kaye Kirschenman demonstrates to Mr. Crider a correct driving stance.

Mueller, Stephen
Murphy, Gale

Murphy, Jim
Nash, Dana C.

Neifert, Nancy
Nelson, Rick

Nesler, Tom
Nice, Linda
Niswonger, Lynda
Norris, Debbie
Noxon, Jim
O'Canna, Ron

Ochs, Dave
O'Guin, Debbie
Ohrdorf, Larry
Olsgard, Owen
Ordahl, Liz
O'Rourke, William M.

Juniors O-S

Orsak, Charles
Osburn, Charlie
Packham, Vernon
Palacios, Ray
Palmer, James
Parisi, Jennifer

Parks, Fawn
Passehl, Judith
Peake, Judith R.
Pearman, Bruce
Peck, Aldena
Peck, Cindy

Perrine, Christal
Peters, Karen
Phillips, Leonard E.
Pile, Debbi

Ponting, John
Postlewaite, Craig
Pottenger, Loren
Potts, Charles
Powell, Steve
Puzick, Phil

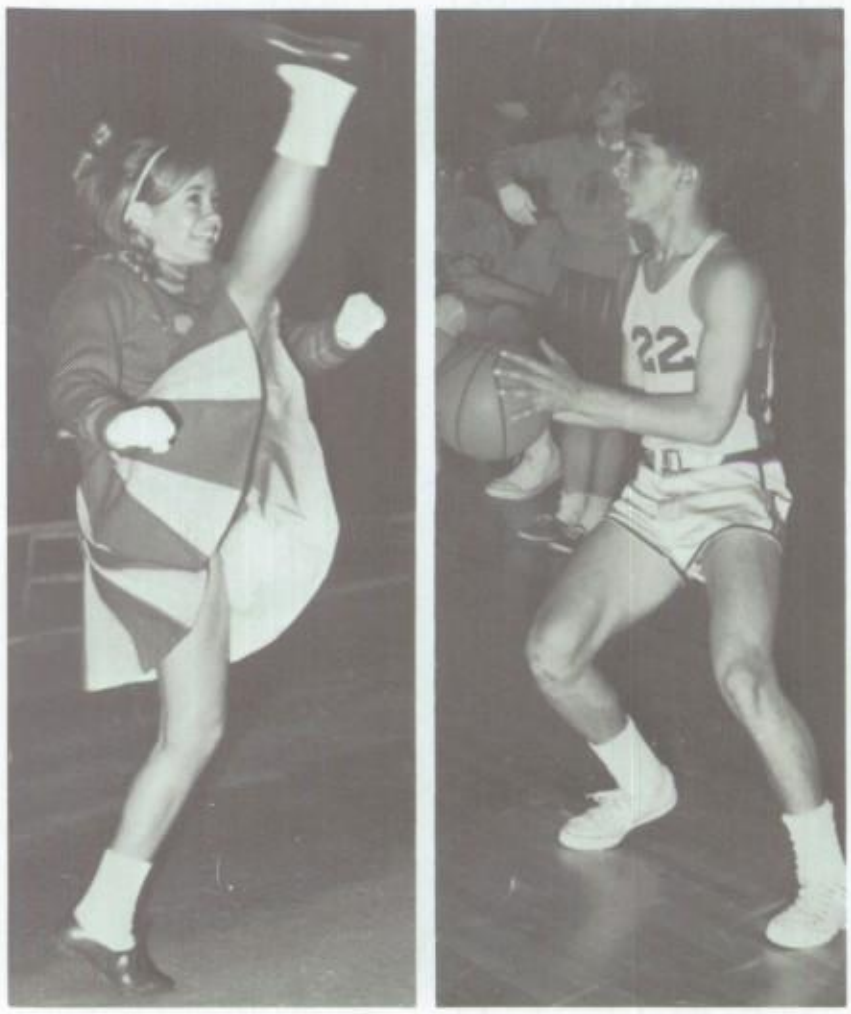
Quigley, Deby
Quindt, Carol

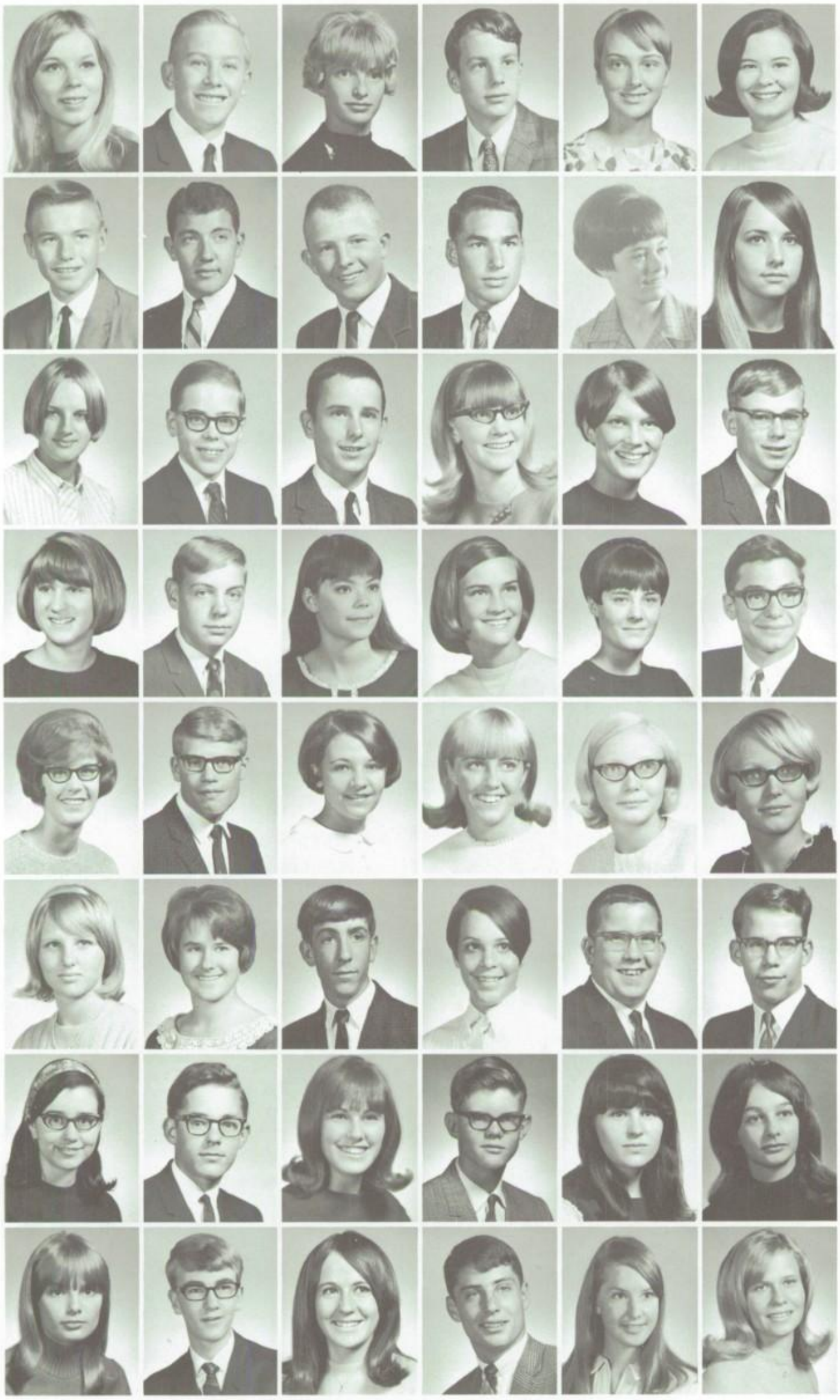
Raider, Steve
Raker, Robert

Rasher, Michelle
Ratliff, Glynda

Remele, Linda
Richards, Dave

Sally Casey and Rick Lohman play a major role in T-Bird activities.





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Roberts, Shari
Robinson, Joy Ann

Rodes, Randy
Rogers, Herb
Ross, David
Rothe, Mike
Rubridge, Pat
Russell, Lou Ann

Sandberg, Glenda
Santerre, Russ
Schanberger, Richard
Scharke, Cathy
Schenk, Jeanne
Schirm, Dennis

Schlecht, Monique
Schwab, Joseph
Scott, Carol
Seeley, Jayne
Seiler, Paula
Sereff, Jim

Sherman, Barbara
Shipp, Tom
Shirley, Karen
Shockey, Nancy
Shroff, Doni
Shroff, Toni

Shuck, Dana
Shultz, Joan
Shutes, Kelly
Shutes, Kristin
Simmons, Bob
Simmons, Roy

Simons, Janet
Skinner, Christopher
Smart, Debbie
Smith, Gordon
Smith, JoEtta
Smith, Melena

Snow, Jackie
Somers, Bill
Spargur, Dianna
Spears, Douglas
Spencer, Debbie
Steffenson, Karen

Stewart, Barry
Stone, Doug
Stone, Sue
Strand, Cathy
Sullenberger, Jim
Sullins, Barb

Sunstrum, Jan
Suter, Christine
Suter, Linda
Sutherland, Sandra
Sutter, John D.
Svoboda, Dave

Swieckowski, Dave
Switzer, Jim
Sydow, Vikki
Tafoya, Jeannette
Tafoya, Larry
Taylor, Torrie

Terry, Kris
Thomas, Cathy
Thompson, Charlotte
Thompson, Joyce
Timmerman, Mike
Tingey, Craig

Triggs, Coleen
Trobaugh, Anne
Truitt, Drew
Tudor, Priscilla
Tuttle, Sandy
Twomey, Jill

Ubben, Arlyn
Urbina, Mary Sue
Valdez, Stan
Valentine, Kathy
Varley, Robert
Volkman, Mark

Vollbracht, Vivian
Von Rueden, Pat
Vose, Richard
Waldron, Pam
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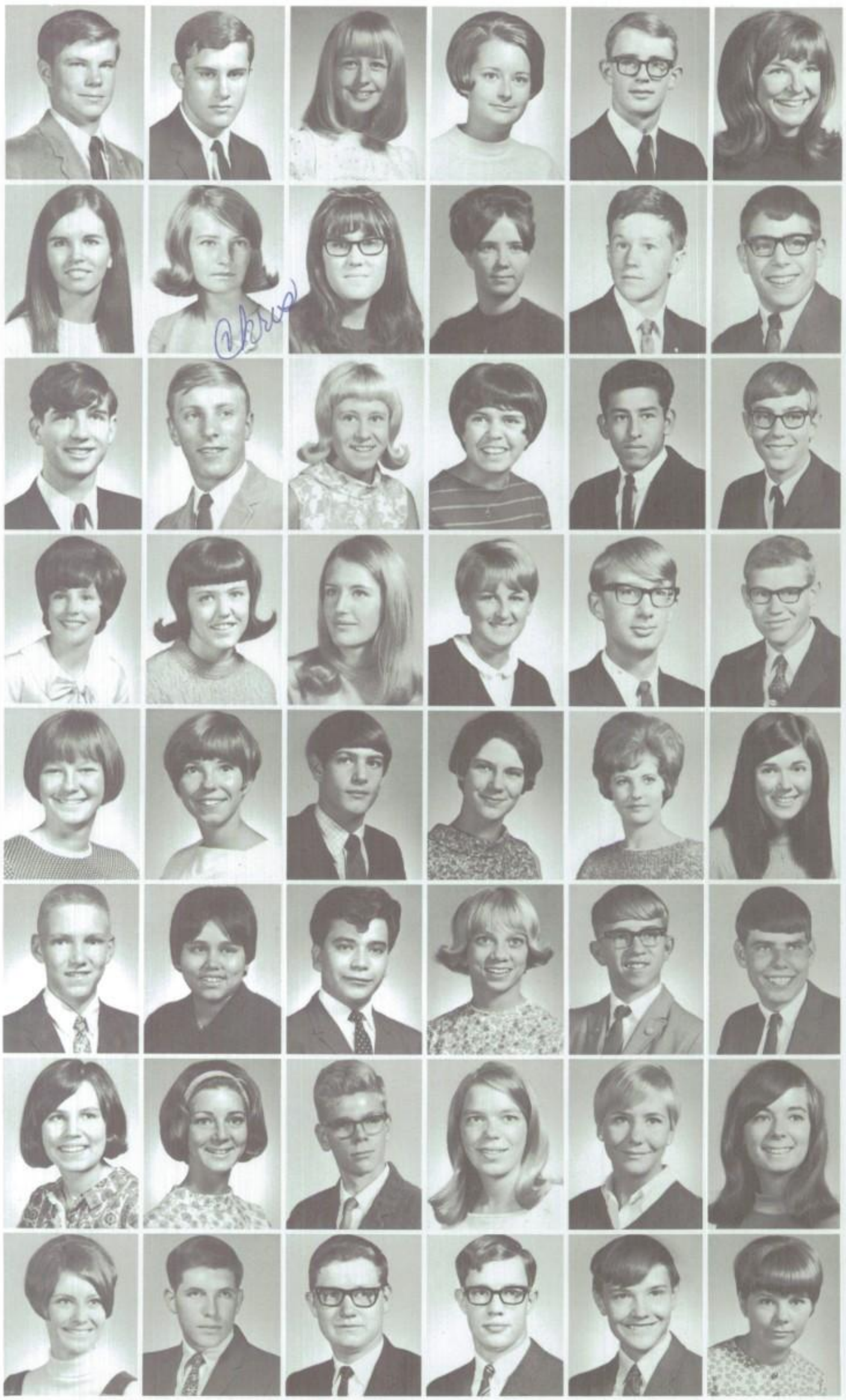

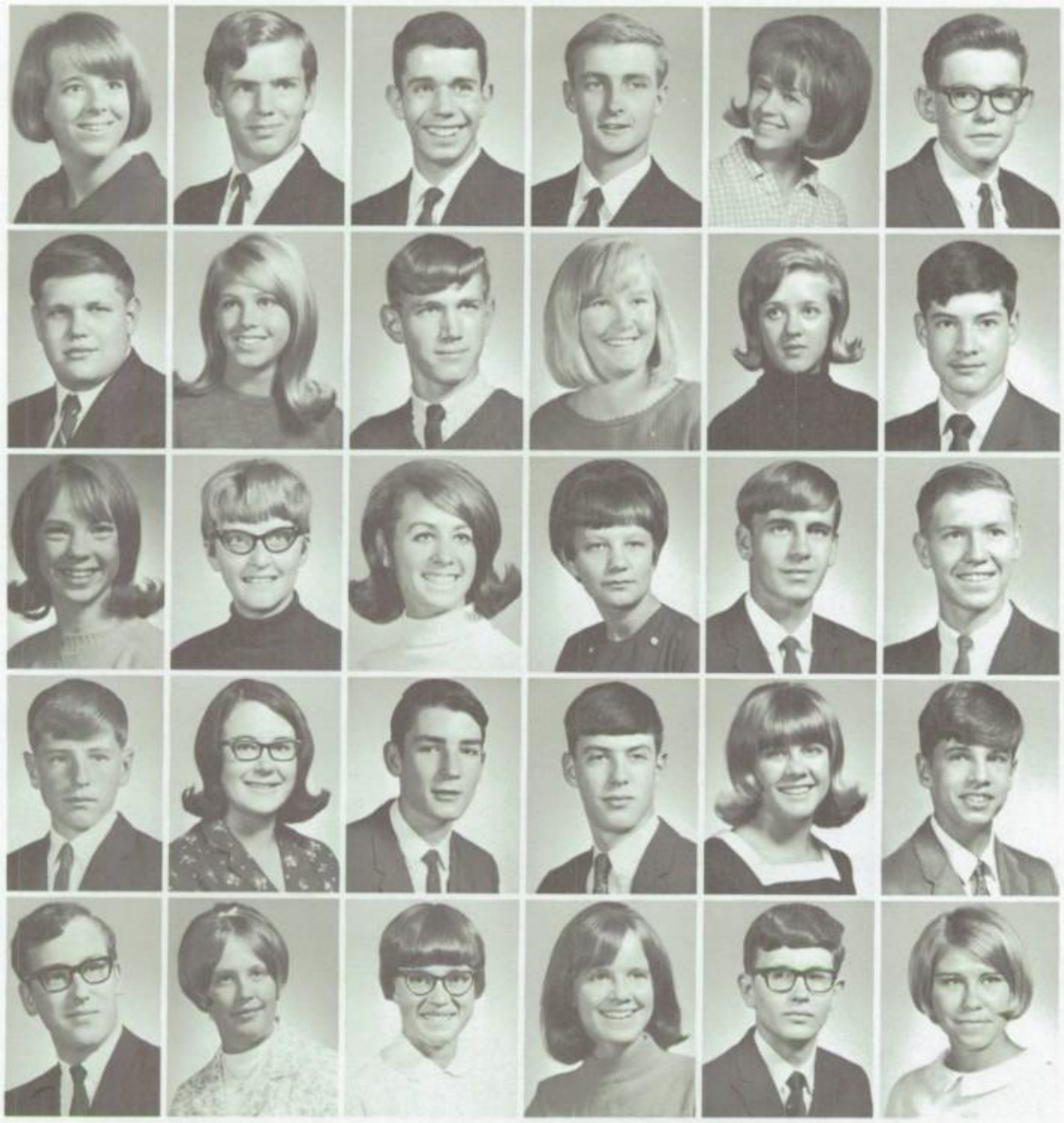

Whetstone, Darice
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White, Johnny
Whitworth, Rocky
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Wiebers, Kipp

Williams, Charles
Williams, Debbie
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Williams, Susan
Wills, Debra
Wilson, Rodney

Wilson, Susie
Wise, Debbie
Wiseman, Sue
Wittmann, Gladys
Womeldorff, Ronald
Wright, James E.

Wright, Richard
Wunder, Debbie
Yalich, Nick
Yandell, Richard
Yeackley, Verla
Yemington, Richard

Yeonopolus, Mike
Young, Lynn
Zell, Kitty
Zemitis, Patricia
Zerbe, Charlie
Zinn, Jenni

Rocky Whitworth, Darcy Kennedy, and Doug Spears work overtime on Junior Class projects.

Juniors S-Z

New Caps, Gowns Lend Color to '68 Graduation Exercises

ACADEMICS, SPORTS, and entertainment were part of the active lives of most of the seniors who graduated as members of the Class of '68. The year started off with the seniors overwhelmingly winning the Homecoming competition. The senior class also ranked first in the annual Christmas hall decorations with the theme "Christmas is a time for giving." Another great showing was made by the Pep Club-sponsored Senior Powder-puff basketball team.

New caps and gowns were initiated at the 67-68 Commencement ceremonies — red for the boys and gray for the girls — a great change from the all-gray outfits previously used. The end of the year festivities, such as the Junior-Senior Prom, the Senior Trip, and the Commencement exercises, all showed all the efficient planning and leadership of the '67-'68 General Assembly.

Two outstanding senior girls, Sharon Jubb and Sue Wright, won local contests which judged their poise, talent, and appearance. Sharon went on to the National eliminations in Dallas and finished as one of the ten semifinalists in the Miss Teenage America Pageant.

Friends and acquaintances of Wasson senior Glenn Gooder were saddened by his death early in the year. He was tragically killed in an automobile accident.

ADAMSON, DON — Interest: Architecture

ALEXANDER, SHARON — F.T.A. 3; G.A.A. 2; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2; Future Nurses 1; Tracy Joint Union High School, Tracy, California; Interest: Teaching

ALLWOOD, SUSAN — Latin Club 1,2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Junior Red Cross 1; Girl's Choir 3; Council 1; Frankfurt American High School, Frankfurt, Germany; Interest: Nursing.

ANDERSEN, SUSAN M.

ANDERSON, ROBERT W.

ANDERSON, ROXIE — Publicity 2; Library Monitor 3; National Honor Society 3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Interest: Education for Mentally Retraded

ARMENT, PATRICK

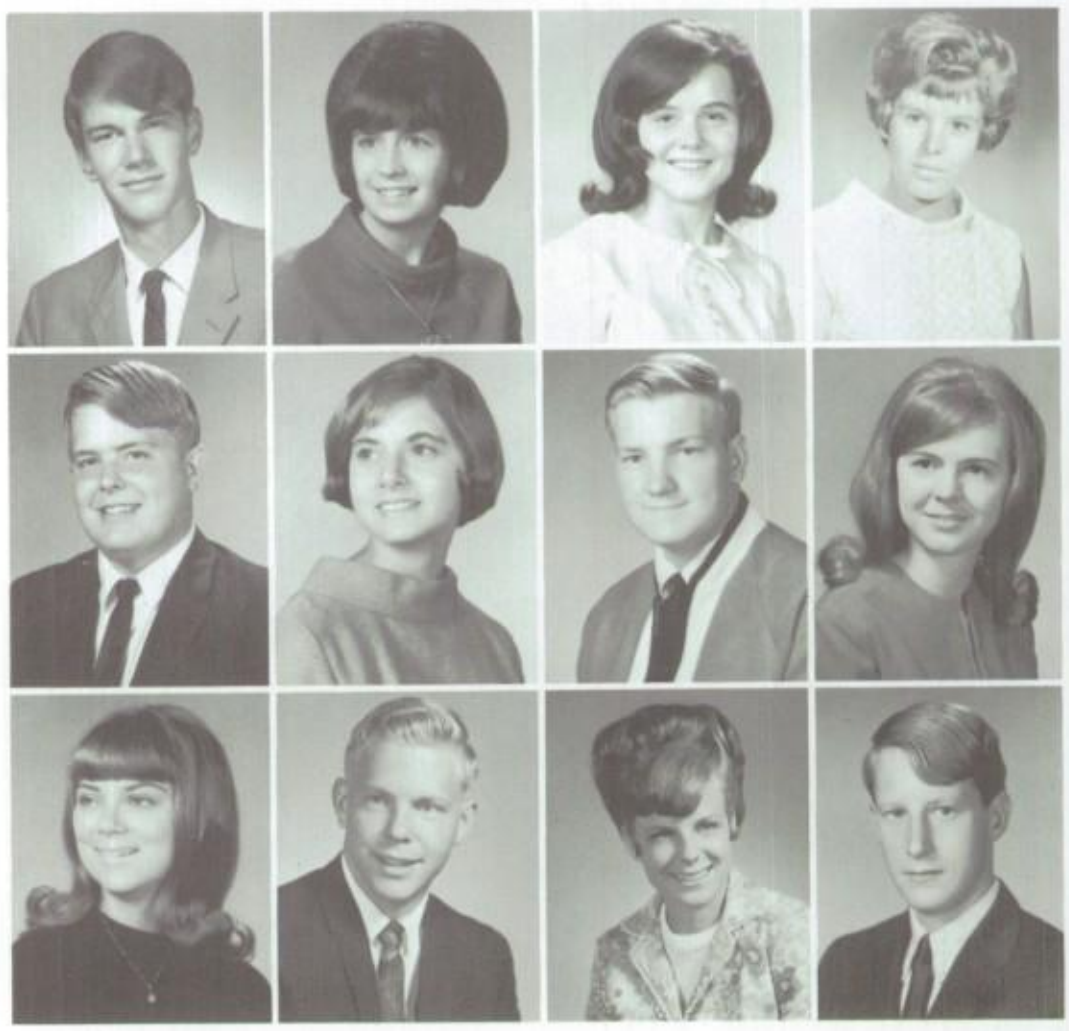
ARNDT, LINDA — Publicity 2; Pep Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Wahian 2; Wasson Literary Guild 2; Interest: Language Teacher

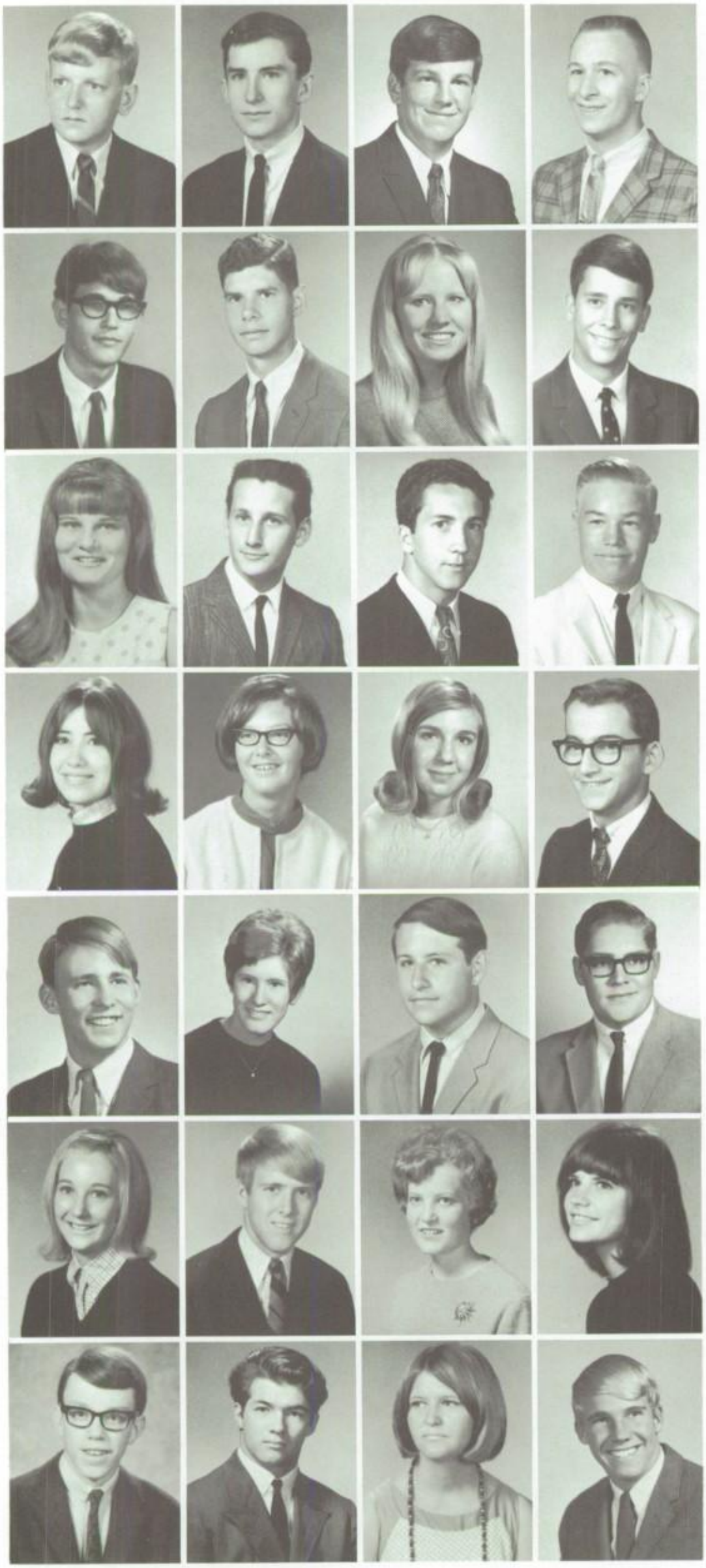
ARNDT, SHERYL — Publicity 2; Social 1; Latin Club 1; Pep Club 1,2; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; Interest: Journalism

ARNOLD, GEORGE — Future Scientists 1; Track 1,2,3; Wrestling 1; Intramurals 2; Cabrillo High School, Lompoc, California; Interest: United States Air Force

ARNOLD, KATHY — G.A.A. 2; Ski Club 2; Gymnastics 3; Cabrillo High School, Lompoc, California; Interest: Nursing

ARNOLD, TOM — German Club 2; Ski Club 2,3; Wrestling 2,3; Interest: Pathologist





ASP, ELLIOTT — General Assembly 1; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 2; Band 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2,3

ATES, DAVE — C Club 1,2,3; Track 1,2; Wrestling 1; Cross Country 1,2; Manager 1,2; Interest: Construction

ATKINSON, TOM — Assemblies 3; Morale 3; Records 3; Publicity 2,3; Social 3; Treasury 3; Intramurals 1,2,

AUSEC, LARRY — Footlighters 1,2,3; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Physical Science

AYLER, DAVID — Publicity 3; Chess Club 2; International Relations 3; Interest: Observational Astronomy

AYRES, JAMES — Morale 1; C Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Intramurals 2,3; Manager, Football 2,3; Interest: Business Administration

BACKMAN, BROOKE — Publicity 1; Future Scientists 3; Ski Club 3; Senate 2; William Howard Taft High School, Woodland Hills, California; Interest: Dental Hygiene

BAKER, HARRY — Bowling Club 1,2,3; Interest: Business

BALL, SHAR — Pep Club 1,2; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 1,2; Stage Band 3; Interest: Elementary Education

BALLIETT, STEPHEN — General Assembly 2; Interest: Auto Mechanics Teacher

BAUGUESS, HAROLD — Football 3; Wrestling 3; Deca Club 3; Cheyenne High School; Interest: History Teacher

BAUMAN, DON

BEALS, LINDA — Publicity 2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Art

BEALS, MARCIA — G.A.A. 1,2,3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Interest: College

BEARDSLEY, JANET — General Assembly 2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1, 2; International Relations 3; National Honor Society 3; Prep Choir 1; Footlighters 1; Thespians 1,2,3; Interest: Political Science

BEDARD, ALFRED — Interest: Business

BEESON, WILLIAM W.

BEETHE, KATHLEEN — Morale 1; Records 1,3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: College

BELL, DOUG — Publicity 1; Ski Club 1,2; Intramurals 1; Interest: Ski Instructor

BELT, LUCKY — Bowling Club 1,2; Interest: Architecture

BENEDICT, SUSAN — Morale 2,3; Spanish Club 3; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 1,2; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Footlighters 2,3; Interest: Teaching

BENSON, STEVE — Morale 3; Publicity 2; Safety 1; Social 2,3; Treasury 2; C Club 2,3; Track 2,3; Cross Country 2,3

BERKELAND, KRISTINE — Inter-Club Council 2,3; Morale 1,2,3; Social 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; International Relations 3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Interest: College

BERZINS, KRIS — Interest: Teaching

BEVER, BILL — C Club 2,3; Band 1,2,; Manager 2; Interest: College

BLACK, DONALD

BLAKELY, STACY E. — Interest: Anthropology

BLANCHARD, ROBERT — General Assembly 2; Ski Slub 1,2; C Club 3; Gymnastics 1,2; Football 1,2,3; Track 3; Wrestling 3; Intramurals 1; Interest: College

BLUMENSTEIN, CAROL — General Assembly 3; Morale 1,2; Publicity 1; Cheerleaders 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 2,3; Wahian 2; Girl's Gymnastics 2; Interest: Physical Therapy

BOBBITT, STEVE — International Relations 3; Band 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Wrestling 2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3; Interest: College

BOGGS, LESLIE — Safety 1; G.A.A. 2; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Interest: Secretary

BOGREN, ERIC — Morale 2,3; Publicity 3; C Club 2,3; Gymnastics 2; Hockey 1,2,3; Intramurals 1; Interest: Forestry

BOLTE, CHARLES — Cabinet 3; Morale 2,3; Publicity 2; Social 2; Basketball 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Teaching

BOOTH, MURRAY — Football 1,2,3; Baseball 2; Letterman's Club 2; St. Mary's

BOTHWELL, CHRISTINE — Records 3; Publicity 1; Social 3; Ski Club 1, 2,3; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Pom Pon Girls 2,3; Wahian 3; Interest: Medicine

BOYLES, JOHN — Social 3; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 3; Intramurals 3; Interest: Music

BRAUN, LARRY — General Assembly 2; C Club 1,2,3; Gymnastics 2,3; Hockey 1,2,3; Interest: Architect

BRENNEMAN, CHARLES — General Assembly 2; C Club 3; Wood Butchers 1,2,3; Band 1,3; Stage Band 1,3; Basketball 1; Swim 1,2; Track 1,2; Interest: College

BRESCI, DONALD S.

BROTHERS, BEA — Deca 2,3; Interest: Interior Decoration

BROWN, CAROLYN — Ski Club 1,2; Footlighters 1; Yamoto High School, Tachikawa, Japan; Interest: College

BROWN, DON — Interest: Accounting

BROWN, MARGARET FAYE — Records 1

BRUNK, SUSANNE — Records 3; National Honor Society 3; Band 3; Footlighters 3; Palmer High School; Interest: Dental Assistant

BUCHHOLZ, JERRY—C Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3; Intramurals 3; Interest: Music

BUFFETTI, VIC — Social 2,3; Treasury 2; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 3; Gymnastics 1,2; Football 1,2,3; Track 3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Interest: Mathematics

BURGAR, RON — Future Scientists 3; Ski Club 1,2; Gymnastics 1,2; Swim 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Photo Club 1; Interest: Physicist

BURGESS, CINDI — Morale 2,3; Social 2,3; Spanish Club 2; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Thunderbolt 2,3; Interest: Psychology

BURGESS, KIMBERLY — General Assembly 1; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1, 2; Interest: Airline Stewardess

BURKE, JIM—General Assembly 1; Social 3; Treasury 2; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Wrestling 1; Interest: Chemistry

BURNETT, CINDY — Records 1; Social 1; Ski Club 2; F.B.L.A. 1; Interest: Airline Stewardess

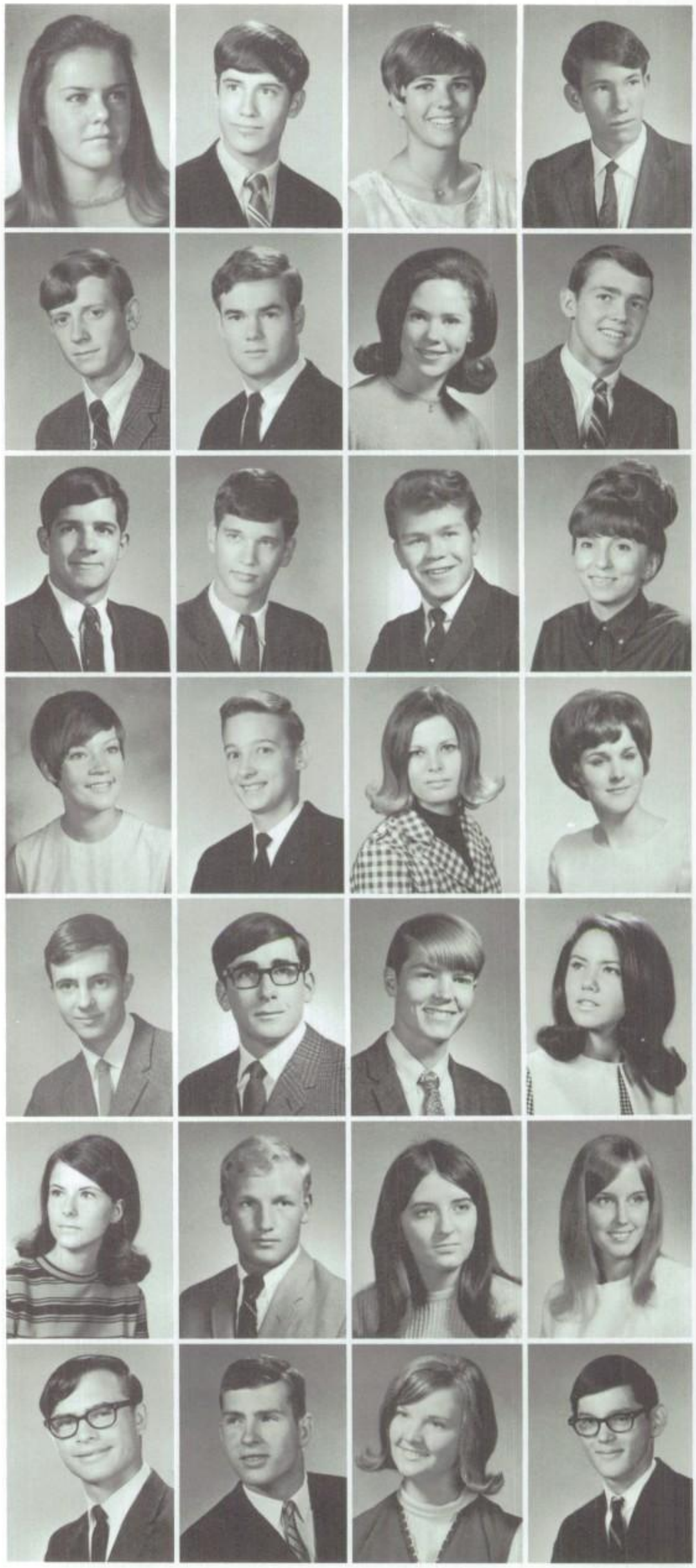
BUSHNER, BETTY — Morale 1,2; Records 2; Publicity 2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: College

CACCIATORE, GARY — Interest: Cabinet Maker

CADWALLADER, DARRYL — Latin Club 1; Gymnastics 1; Wrestling 2; Interest: Electrical Engineering

CAMPBELL, CAROL ANN — Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 3; Girl's Choir 2; Prep Choir 1; Interest: Nursing

CAMPBELL, JEFF — Publicity 3; Chess Club 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Track 1; Tennis 1; Harrison High School



CAMPBELL, STEPHEN

CARBONELL, MICHAEL — Ski Club 1,2; Golf 1,2,3; Hazelwood High School, St. Louis, Mo.; Interest: College

CARDWELL, STEFFIE — Morale 1; Pep Club 1; Interest: Business

CAREY, TAYLOR S.

CARLTON, PAUL — Chess Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Band 1, 2,3; Pep Band 2,3; Interest: Engineer

CARNAHAN, RICHARD — Chess Club 2,3; Interest: Medicine

CARPENTER, JAN — DECA 2, 3; Interest: College

CARROLL, RHONDA — Morale 1; Courtesy 3; Records 3; Publicity 2; Social 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 3; Interest: Education

CASEY, JOHN — Cabinet 3; Morale 1; Ski Club 1,2; Bowling Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; C Club 1,2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Interest: Education

CAULDER, STEPHEN — General Assembly 2; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 1,2,3; Track 1,3; Intramurals 1; Interest: Law

CERVANTES, TINA — Records 2; Social 3; Spanish Club 3; F.T.A. 3; Pep Club 1,2; Footlighters 2,3; Interest: Secondary Education

CHEETSOS, DAVID M.

CHISMAN, EDDIE — DECA Club 3; Interest: Accountant

CIAVONNE, CAROL — Ski Club 1; Pep Club 2; Footlighters 2,3; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Theater

CLARK, STEVE

COLBERT, JERRY — Interest: Business Administration

CONNELL, DEDE — Morale 1,2,3; Social 1,2; Pom Pom Girls 1,2,3; Ski Club 1; Girl's Gymnastics 1,2,3; Interest: Physical Education

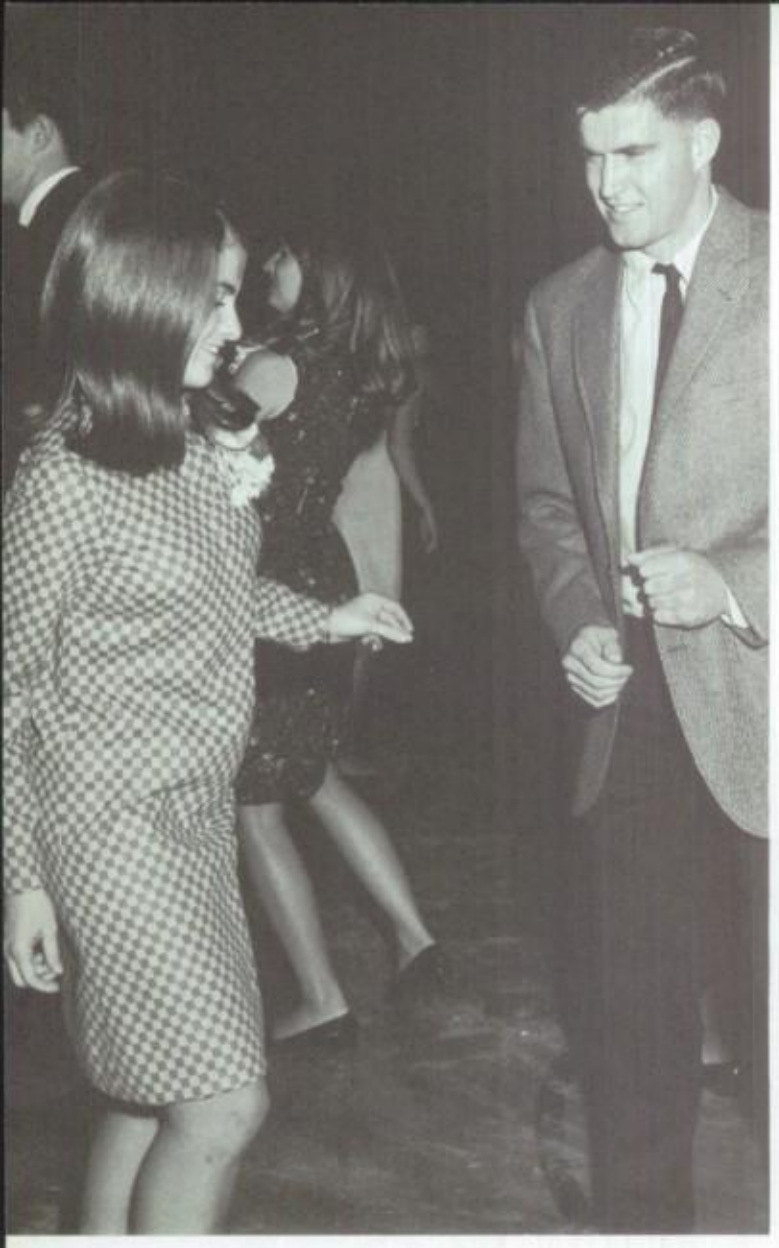
CONNERS, DIANA — Pep Club 1,3; Class Secretary 2; Yearbook 2; Taipei American School, Taipei, Taiwan; Interest: Secretary

CONNOLLY, BARBARA — Publicity 3; Thomas A. Edison, Alexandria, Virginia; Interest: Dental Assistant

COOK, CAROLYN — Homemakers 2; Swim 2; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Track 2; Balboa High School, Panama Canal Zone; Interest: Beautician

"Christmas is a time for giving" was the theme of the winning senior hall decorations. Preparing to hang evergreen boughs are Chuck Nevius, president; Mrs. Torrie, sponsor; Clay Williams, vice-president; and Mr. Waite, sponsor.

Seniors B-C



One of the most outstanding events of the year was Homecoming. Wasson students and graduates will remember it as one of the finest.

Seniors C-E

COOK, JANE — Pep Club 1,2,3; French Club 1; Puppet Club 1; Interest: Secretary

COOK, RICHARD — Football 1,2,3; Swim 1; Interest: College

COWAN, RHONDA — Courtesy 1; Records 2; Social 1,2,3; Publicity 1,2,3; Treasury 1; Majorettes 1,2,3; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Elementary Education

CROCKER, JEANETTE

CROSBY, CHARLOTTE — Pep Club 1,2; Interest: Dental Hygiene

CURRY, JAN — Spanish Club 2; F.T.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Interest: College

CURRY, RICHARD — Interest: Medicine

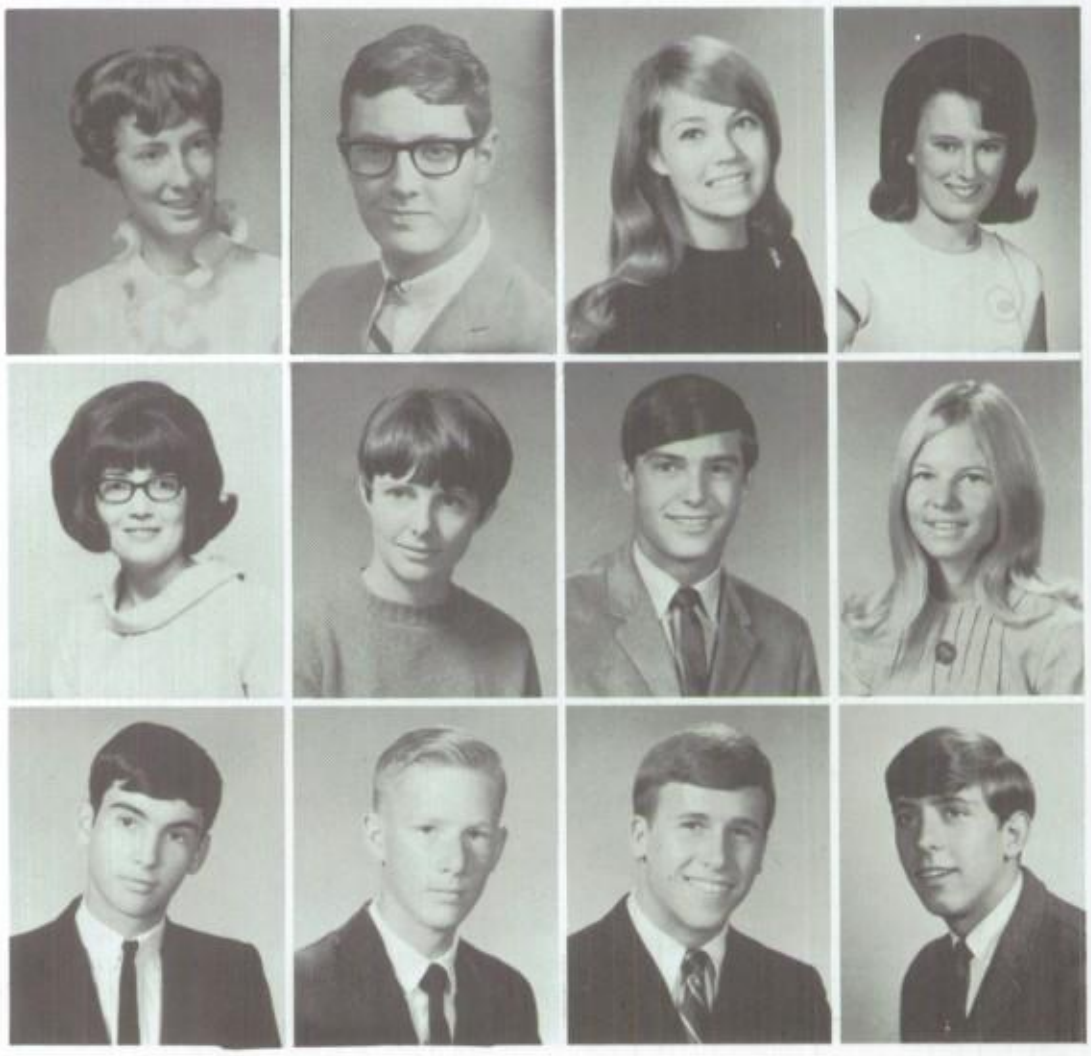
DADISMAN, KIM — Morale 3; Social 3; Pom Pon Girls 3; Ski Club 2; Rodeo Club 2; Bishop Kenny High School, Jacksonville, Florida; Interest: Airline Stewardess

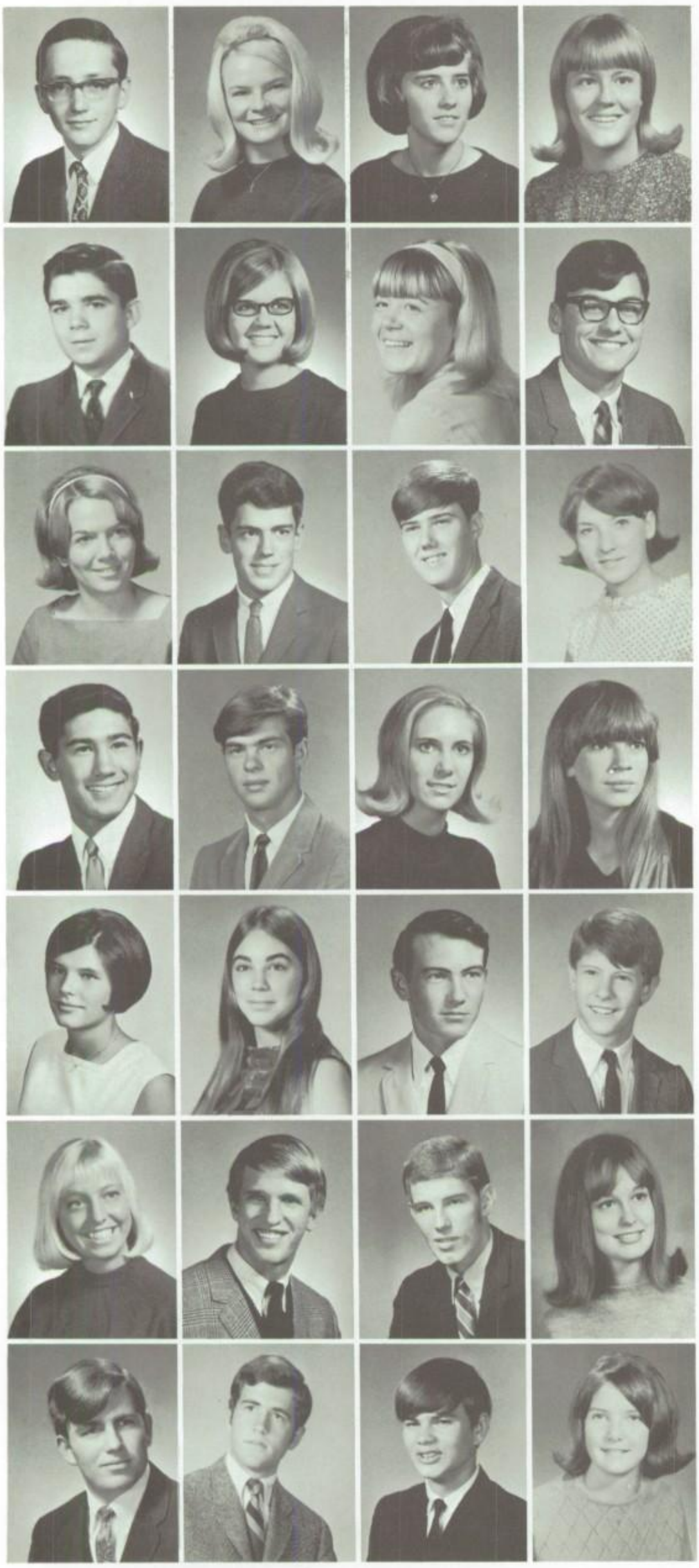
DAMICO, ROB — Future Scientists 3; Math Club 3; Football 1; Swim 1; Intramurals 3; Nadimasu High School, Tokyo, Japan; Interest: Astronautical Engineering

DAVIS, JERRY — Track 2; Interest: Range Management

DAVIS, R. J. — Social 1,2,3; Treasury 3; Pre-Med 1; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 2,3; Football 1; Swim 2,3; Baseball 1; Interest: Law

DAVIS, WILLIAM G.





DAY, KEN — Publicity 3; Future Scientists 3; Interest: Commercial Art

DELLA CROCE, JEANNIE — Morale 1; Records 1; Social 1,2,3; Pom Pom Girls 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Footlighters 3; Girl's Gymnastics 1,2,3; Interest: Nursing

DELONG, NANCY ANN

DETHLOFF, JAYNE — Publicity 1,2,3; G.A.A. 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Future Secretaries of America 3; Interest: Mathematics

DEUTSCHER, GREG — Interest: Math

DeWITT, VIRGINIA — Pep Club 1,2; Choristers 2; Girl's Choir 3; Interest: Beautician

DICKINSON, KATHERI

DODY, JACK — General Assembly 1,2; Morale 1,2,3; Wahian 2; Intramurals 1

DOERFFEL, REBECCA

DONALSON, CHARLES — Ski Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; Wahian 2,3; C Club 2,3; Footlighters 1,2,3; Thespians 2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Interest: Fine Arts

DOWNING, MARK — Inter-Club Council 1; Ski Club 1,2; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 2,3; Tennis 2; Interest: Forestry

DRAKE, MARGARET LYNN — Social 1; G.A.A. 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; F.B.L.A. 2; Interest: X-Ray Technician

DUARTE, TONY — General Assembly 3; C Club 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Accounting

DUDEN, DEAN

DUKE, JAN — Morale 1; Records 1,3; Pom Pom Girls 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Airline Hostess

DUKE, KATHY — Social 1; Ski Club 2; Thunderbolt 3; Penman 3; Greenville High School, Greenville, South Carolina; Interest: Social Worker

DUNN, BARBARA — D.E.C.A. 2,3; Interest: Airline Hostess

DUTCHER, CATHY — Inter-Club Council 2; Pep Club 1; Rodeo Club 2; Junior Red Cross 2; Interest: Sociology

DUTRACK, DALE — Intramurals 2; Crossland High School, Campsprings, Maryland; Interest: U.S. Air Force

DYER, CRAIG — International Relations 3; Band 1,2,3; Interest: Psychology

EARNEST, ROBIN — Morale 2,3; Records 1,2,3; Social 1,2; Courtesy 3; Treasury 3; Cheerleaders 3; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Teaching

EDQUIST, KEITH — Cabinet 3; General Assembly 2; Morale 3; Publicity 2,3; Safety 3; F.T.A. 3; National Honor Society 3; Basketball 1,2,3; Interest: Medicine

EDSON, DOUGLAS — F.T.A. 3; C Club 3; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3; Interest: Music Education

EHEMAN, PAM — Records 2; National Honor Society 3; Interest: College

EMERICK, DAVID D.

ENGLERT, MICHAEL — German Club 2; International Relations 3; Interest: College

ERPELDING, CURTIS — Rifle Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Abbey High School, Canon City, Colorado; Interest: Biochemist

EVANS, JOYCE — General Assembly 2; Latin Club 1; F.T.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Interest: Teaching

EVANS, LOUISE — Pep Club 1; Interest: Secretary

FADNESS, RANDY — Chess Club 1,2,3; Spanish Club 1,2; C Club 3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Manager, Football 2,3; Interest: Engineering

FARAGUNA, JUDY

FAVINGER, SHEILA A.

FINLAYSON, MARK — Inter-Club Council 3; Morale 1,2,3; Social 3; Forum 2; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Law

FISH, CHARLES — Gymnastics 2,3; Football 1; Wrestling 1,2,3; Golf 1; Interest: College

FISHER, MARCIA — Latin Club 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; Math Club 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Band 1,2; Interest: Computer Programming

FOLEY, SHEILA M. — Pre-Med 1; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: College

FOOTE, GLEN — D.E.C.A. 2,3; Interest: Zoology

FRANKLIN, BARBARA — F.T.A. 2; Interest: Math Teacher

FRANSEN, TONY — Ski Club 1; Swim 1; Interest: Electronics

FRIES, LINDA — Publicity 2; German Club 2,3; Rifle Club 3; Frankfurt American High School, Frankfurt, Germany; Interest: Psychology

GARRETT, GAIL — Courtesy 2; German Club 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 2; Interest: Airline Stewardess

GASPERINI, TIMOTHY — Chess Club 1,2,3; German Club 1,2,3; International Relations 3; National Honor Society 3; Intramurals 1; Manager, Track; Interest: Military

GENDREIZIG,JUDITH — General Assembly 1,3; Morale 1,3; Courtesy 2, 3; Records 3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: Journalism

GEORGE, JANIS M.

GEORGE, SAMUEL K. — Chess Club 2,3; Interest: Engineer

GILKS, DARRELL — Hockey 1; Brookfield High School, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada; Interest: Royal Canadian Mounted Police

GILL, MARY — Pom Pon Girls 2,3; F.T.A. 1,2; Pep Club 1; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Interest: History

GIRARD, LISA — Cabinet 3; General Assembly 2; Social 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 2,3; Pom Pon Girls 1,2; Wa-tones 3; Thespians 3; Interest: Social Work

GLASSER, MIKE — Morale 1,3; Ski Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Track 2; Cross Country 3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Education

GOODWIN, PETE — Hampton High School, Hampton, Virginia; Interest: Engineering

GORDON, DANNY — General Assembly 1; Chess Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 2,3; Tennis 2,3; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Engineer

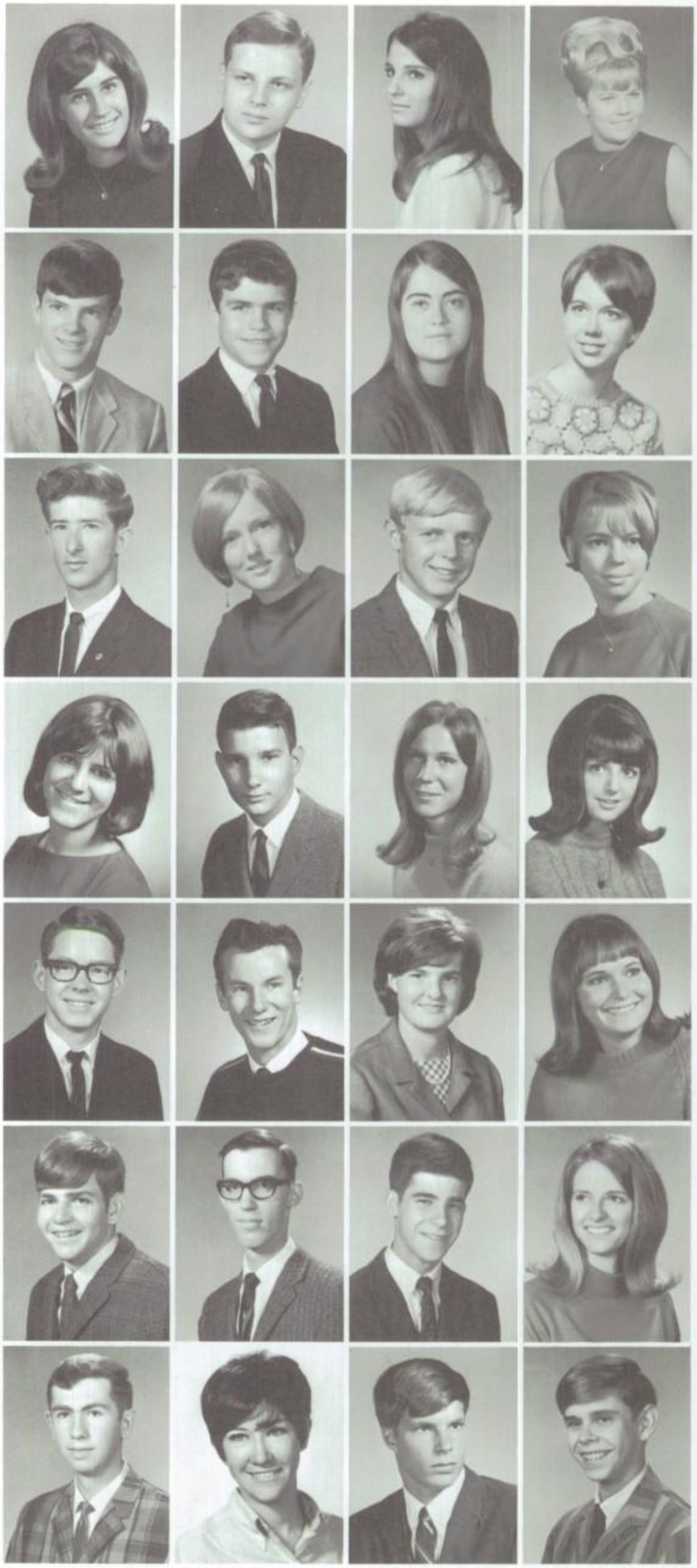
GRAHAM, KATHY — Ski Club 2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Wahian 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2; Interest: Psychologist

GRAVES, BRENT — Choristers 1,2; Footlighters 2,3; Bass Clef 1,2; Interest: Chemistry

GRAVES, CAROL

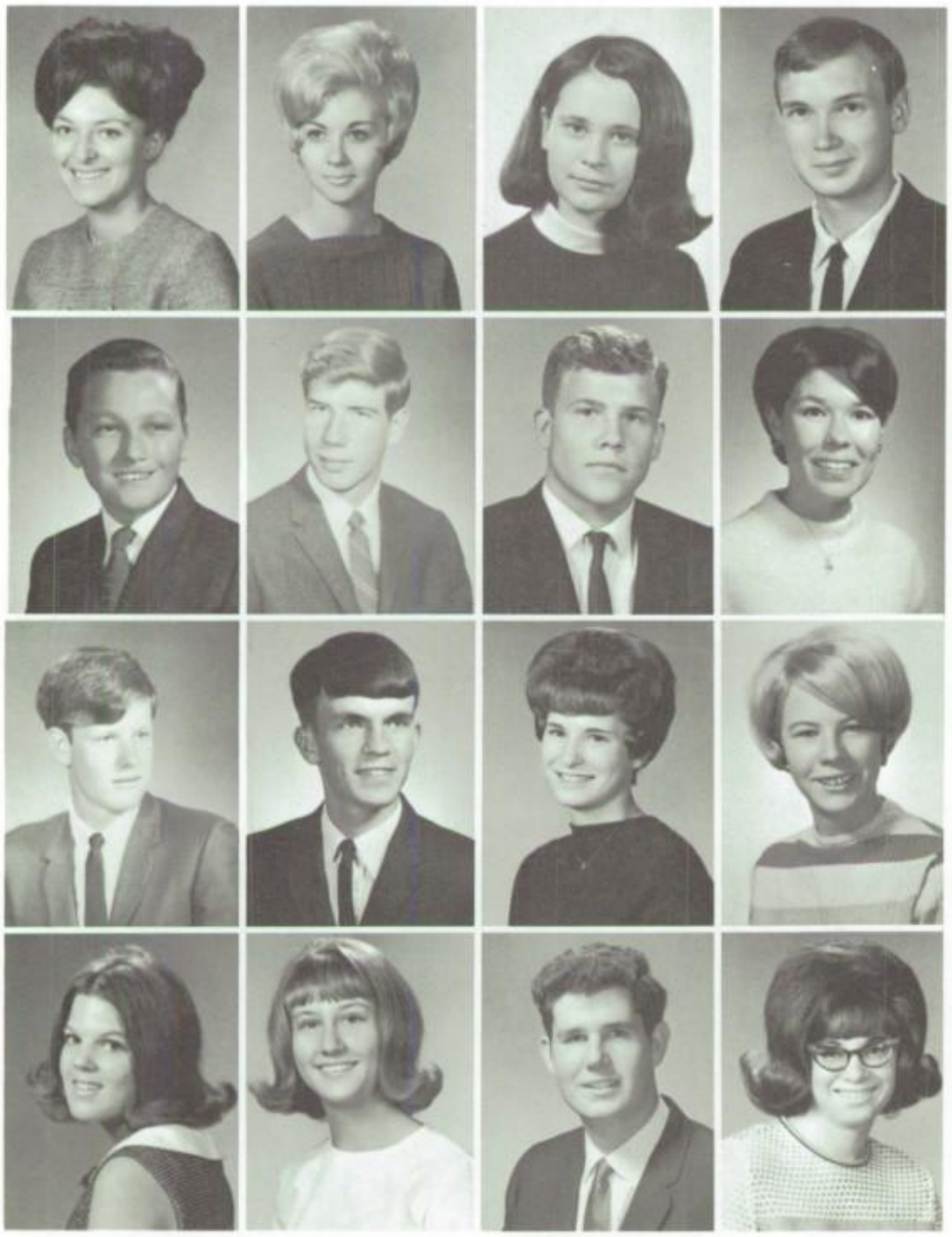
GREEN, WILLIAM — C Club 2,3; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2, 3; Intramurals 3; Wiesbaden High School, Wiesbaden, Germany; Interest: Business

GREINER, MICHAEL — Interest: Engineering



Facing the future, graduating seniors can hardly forget all the work put into their education.

Seniors E-H



GRIFFIN, CORRINE — Girl's Choir; Interest: Art

GRIFFITH, GAIL — Courtesy 3; Social 2; Ski Club 2; Wa-tones 3; Footlighters 1; Arlington Heights High School, Fort Worth, Texas; Interest: Psychology

GRINDELL, TERRI — Publicity 2; Spanish Club 2,3; German Club 3; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Foreign Languages

GROSS, JOSEPH — Publicity; Football

GUERRERO, JAMES — F.B.L.A. 3; Interest: Accounting

HAGGSTROM, TERRY — Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Forestry

HAGOPIAN, GARY — Safety 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 3; Football 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Interest: Chemical Engineering

HAINES, JACKIE — Courtesy 1,2; Pom Pon Girls 2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; Choristers 2,3; Girl's Choir 1; Footlighters 2; Thespians 3; Interest: Psychology

HAMILTON, CALVIN T.

HANCHETT, BILL — Band 1,2; French Club 2; Ludwigsburg High School, Ludwigsburg, Germany

HARLOW, CAROLYN — Pep Club 1

HARMON, JO (Marietta) — Inter-Club Council 3; Safety 1; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 3; F.S.A. 3; Interest: Social Work

HARRINGTON, NORMA — Ski Club 2; Rodeo Club 2; Footlighters 2; Forest Sherman High School, Naples, Italy; Interest: Interior Design

HARRIS, DEBBIE — Records 3; Safety 1; Social 2,3; Pep Club 1; Girl's Gymnastics 2; Interest: Airline Hostess

HARRIS, RANDY — D.E.C.A. 3

HARRISON, GAIL A.

Seniors H-J

A big crowd-pleaser in the drama olios was a rousing can-can number done by Sue Wright, Karen Reuter, and Jackie Haines.

HARTZ, DIANA — Pre-Med 1,2; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; Girl's Choir 1; Truman High School, Independence, Missouri; Interest: Public Relations

HAST, SHARLENE — Morale 1,2; Publicity 3; German Club 2,3; G.A.A. 1,2; Pep Club 3; Library Monitor 1; National Honor Society 3; Interest: German Interpreter

HATHAWAY, MARTI — Morale 1; Latin Club 1; G.A.A. 1; Junior Red Cross 1,2,3; Interest: Nursing

HAWKS, SHARON — Publicity 3; Social 3; G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 2,3; William Mitchell High School; Interest: Accountant

HAYDUK, STEWART — Ski Club 1,2; C Club 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Wrestling 1; Interest: Dentistry

HEAGY, BARRY W.

HELM, DENNIS — Band 1,2,3; Interest: Teacher

HEMPHILL, VANCE — Band 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Business

HEMRY, RON — Interest Automotive

HENKLE, CRAIG — Hi - Y 2,3; D.E.C.A. 3; Interest: Certified Public Accountant

HEPPNER, GENIE — German Club 2,3; G.A.A. 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 2,3; Mountain Lake High School, Mountain Lake, Minnesota; Interest: Teaching

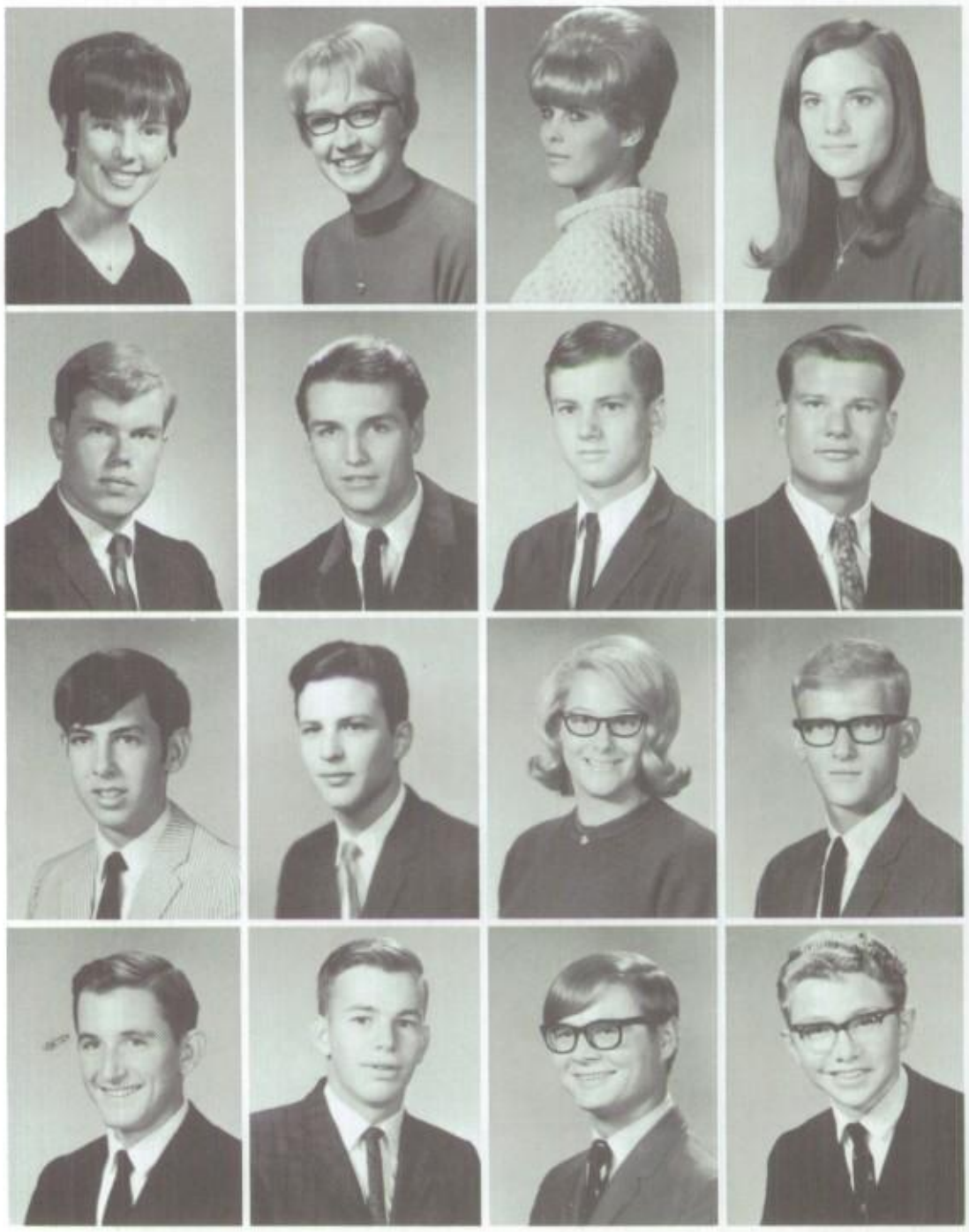
HERBERT, LYNN — C Club 2,3; Band 1; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Swim 1,2,3; Intramurals 1; Interest: Commercial Art

HERBERT, PAUL — Ski Club 2; Bowling Club 2; Interest: Architecture

HETTLE, MICHAEL J.

HEUSER, BARK — General Assembly 1,2; Latin Club 1; Thunderbolt 3; National Honor Society 3; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Humanities

HIATT, LADD — Publicity 3; Future Scientists 3; Wahian 3; Interest: College



HILTNER, ROBERT — Assemblies 2,3; Morale 2,3; Publicity 3; Treasury 3; Tommy T-Bird 3; Chess Club 1,2,3; German Club 2; Pep Club 3; Interest: Teacher

HINKEL, PATTY — Thomas Jefferson High School, San Antonio, Texas; Interest: Veterinarian

HINKLE, MAX — Interest: Psychology

HOFFMAN, FRED — Ski Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; Wahian 2,3; Golf 2; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Political Science

HOIT, JO ANN — Social 1; Pom Pon Girls 2,3; Latin Club 2; Ski Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Swim 1; Interest: College

HOKE, BRENDA — Inter-Club Council 2; Publicity 2,3; Latin Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Interest: Secondary Education

HOLLERAN, JIM — Future Scientists 1; Ski Club 1,2; Rifle Club 1; Rodeo Club 1; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Architecture

HOPPER, RONALD — Band 1,2,3; Interest: Advanced Math and Science

HORNICKEL, DEBBIE — Social 2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Education

HOTCHKISS, GARY — Hi-Y 1,2,3; D.E.C.A. 3; Inter-Club Council 3; Interest: Certified Public Accountant

HOWARD, LAURA — Pre-Med 1; F.B.L.A. 3; Interest: Social Worker

HOWELL, VERGIL — Safety 2; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1; Football 1,2; Track 1,2,3; Interest: Accounting

HUBBARD, DAVID — Hoisington High School, Hoisington, Kansas; Interest: Architecture

HUGHES, CHUCK — General Assembly 1; Safety 2; Treasury 2,3; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Engineering

HUGHES, GARY — F.B.L.A. 1; C Club 3; Footlighters 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Interest: Secondary Education

HUISENGA, SANDRA — Publicity 2; F.T.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Rodeo Club 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3; Interest: Elementary Teaching

HULL, JIM — National Honor Society 3; Interest: Architect

HUNTER, JAMES

HUSBAND, CAROL — Interest: Dental Technician

HYCHE, ANNIE — F.B.L.A. 2; Interest: Business

INGRAM, SHIRLEY L.

ISLEY, DALE — Publicity 2,3; Safety 2; National Honor Society 3; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Manager, Football 1; Interest: Business

IVERSON, RICHARD — Mixed Choir 1; Interest: Pilot

JACKSON, CAROLE — Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 3; Future Secretaries of America 3; Track (Girls) 1; Punahou High School, Honolulu, Hawaii; Interest: Court Reporter

JACKSON, CLAUDIA — Pep Club 1,2; F.B.L.A. 3; Future Secretaries of America 3; Poudre High School, Fort Collins, Colorado; Interest: College

JAHNS, TIMOTHY

JAMES, LES — Interest: Draftsman

JAMES, WILLIAM — Interest: Mechanical Engineer

JASMUND, GARY E.

JAYNE, RONALD — Chess Club 1; Rodeo Club 3; Interest: College

JEFFRIES, JOLIE — National Honor Society 3

JEND, DANIEL — C Club 2,3; Football 1,2; Track 1,2,3; Wrestling 3; Cross Country 3; Interest: Commercial Pilot

JENSEN, DAVE — Intramurals 2; Interest: Announcer

JEZEK, JULIE — General Assembly 1,2; Assemblies 2; Social 1; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: College

JOHNSON, BARRY — Latin Club 1; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2; Stage Band 1,2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3

JOHNSON, DANIEL — Basketball 1; Track 1; Golf 2,3; Student Council 1; Burges High School, El Paso, Texas; Interest: Business Management

JOHNSON, DOUG

JOHNSON, JUDY — General Assembly 1,2,3; Assemblies 1; Morale 1; Courtesy 1; Social 1; Pom Pon Girls 1,2; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 1; Interest: Airline Hostess

JOHNSON, RANDALL L. — Morale 1,2,3; Latin Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2; Interest: Law

JONES, DON — Interest: College

JONES, KATHY — Social 2; Pom Pon Girls 2,3; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 3; Sophomore Choir 1; Interest: Music

JUBB, SHARON L.

KARGARD, RICHARD — Inter-Club Council 3; Forum 3; Latin Club 1; German Club 3; International Relations 3; Math Club 3; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Football 2; Interest: Psychology

KAY, RUSSELL — Track 2; Interest: College

KEANE, BRIAN — Morale 2; C Club 2,3; Hockey 1,2,3; Golf 2,3; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Public Relations

KEIDERLING, RUTH — Inter-Club Council 3; Morale 1; G.A.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Junior Red Cross 1,2; Interest: Psychiatric Technician

KELIHER, MIKE — Prep Choir 1; Bass Clef 1; Interest: Writing

KELLY, MARK — Ski Club 1,2; C Club 2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Intramurals 3; Interest: Law

KELLY, CHARLEEN — Records 3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1, 2; National Honor Society 2,3; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: Foreign Service

KELLY, JOHNNY F.

KENDOLL, JOYCE — G.A.A. 1; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Fort Vancouver, High School, Vancouver, Washington; Interest: Social Worker

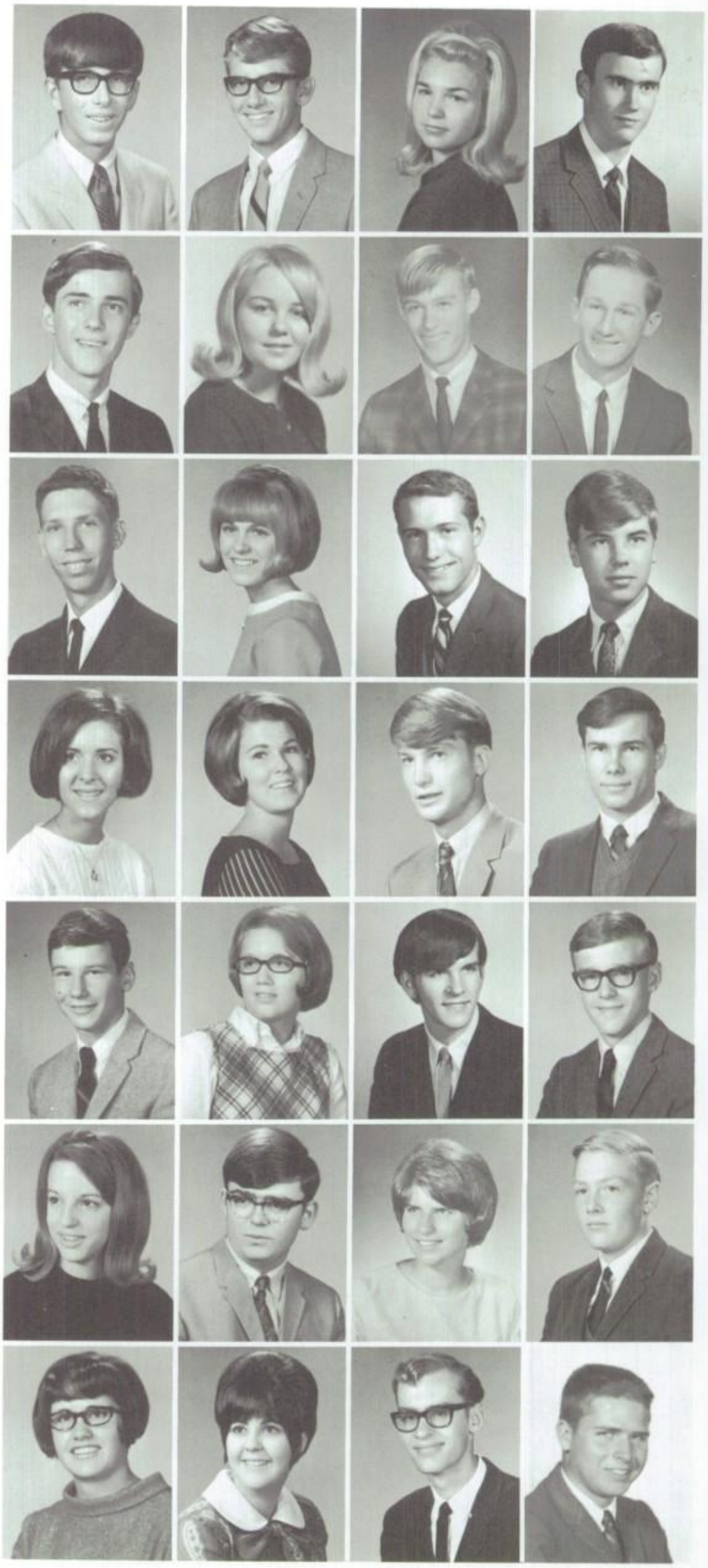
KENNEY, JOHN — Safety 1,2,3; Interest: Business Law

KENSLER, DONNA — Publicity 2; Safety 1; Latin Club 1; Pep Club 1,2, 3; National Honor Society 3; Wood Butchers 1; Photo Club 3; Interest: Psychology

KEPLINGER, JAN — Inter-Club Council 3; F.T.A. 1; Pep Club 1; Library Monitor 2; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 3; Sophomore Mixed Choir 1; Interest: Music

KERCHER, RONALD G.

KILPATRICK, STEPHEN



Seniors J - K

Prior to leaving for Dallas for the nationals, Sharon Jubb, Miss Teenage Colorado Springs, is presented a bouquet of roses by John Casey.

Jane Cook shoots a free throw as the rest of the senior powderpuff team looks on.

KING, RICHARD — Courtesy 3; Publicity 3; Social 2,3; Interest: College

KIRCHER, LORENCE — Cabinet 3; General Assembly 3; Ski Club 2; C Club 2,3; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3; Interest: City Planning

KIRKPATRICK, DIANE — Pep Club 1,2; Rodeo Club 3; Interest: Teacher

KISTLER, CHERI — Inter-Club Council 2; Records 3; Social 3; F.T.A. 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Psychology

KNAACK, SHARLYN — G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Ramey A.F.B. High School, Puerto Rico; Interest: Medical Technologist

KNICKERBOCKER, DAVE — General Assembly 1,2; Assemblies 2; Social 1; Ski Club 1; Wrestling 1,2; Interest: Engineering

KNOPP, GARY — Bowling Club 1,2,3; C Club 3; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 3; Interest: Business

KNUDSON, KATHY — Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 3; Interest: Beautician

KOHL, RANDY — Band 1; Football 1; Palmer High School; Interest: I.B.M. Technician

KOHT, NANCY — Records 3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: Secondary Education

KOPYTO, LIDIA — Orchestra 1,2,3; Interest: College

KOSCOVE, SUE — Records 3; F.T.A. 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Secondary Education

KOSLEY, PATRICIA — Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Psychology

KRAFT, KENTON E.

KRAMER, CATHI — Courtesy 3; Records 3; Cheerleaders 1; G.A.A. 1; Bowling Club 1,2; Swim 2,3; Highland High School, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Interest: Oceanography

KRAUSHAAR, FRANCES — Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Footlighters 1,2; Thespians 2,3; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: Theater

KREUTZER, DONNA — Social 1; Pep Club 1,2; Orchestra 1; Interest: Nursing

KRIEG, KELLY — Woodrow Wilson High School, Long Beach, California

KYER, FRED — Publicity 2; Ski Club 2; Intramurals 1; J.E.B. Stuart High School, Falls Church, Va.; Interest: Engineering

LAMB, MARSHA — Records 3; Publicity 2; Social 2,3; Pep Club 1,2; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: Physical Therapy

LANSING, CARL — General Assembly 2; Morale 3; Social 2,3; Treasury 1,2; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Oceanographer

LARSON, EMILY — Records 1,2,3; F.T.A. 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Teaching

LAUGHREN, DAVID — General Assembly 1; Publicity 1; Spanish Club 1; International Relations 3; Choristers 1; Track 1,2,3; Interest: College

LAWRENCE, CHARLENE — Spanish Club 3; F.T.A. 1,2,3; American Field Service 2; Deering High School, Portland, Maine; Interest: Teaching

LEE, EUGENIA — Records 2; Publicity 2,3; Social 2,3; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; Interest: Modern Languages

LEE, GINGER — F.B.L.A. 1; Girl's Choir 3; Prep Choir 2; Interest: Secretary

LEE, TERRY

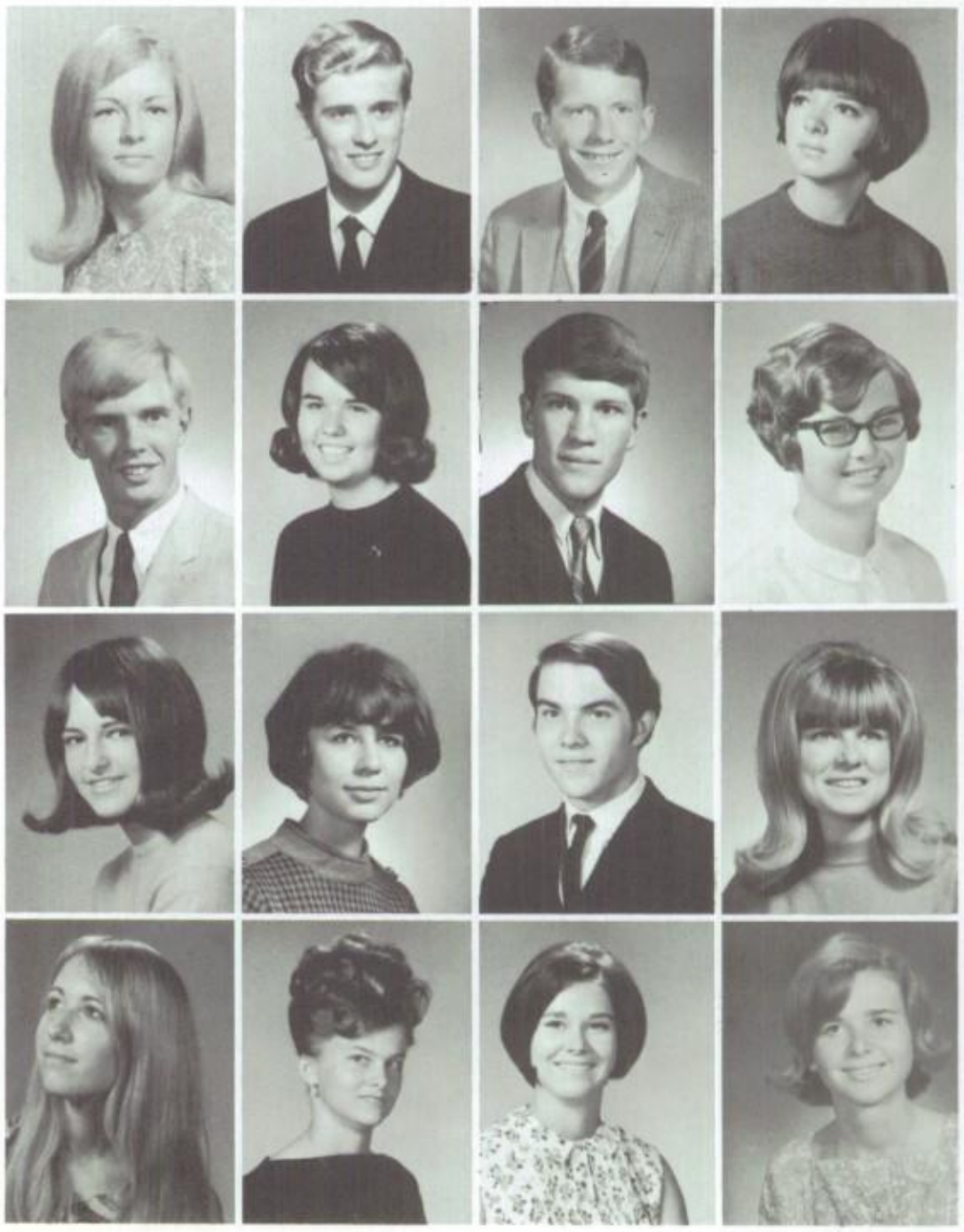
LENNON, CHERYL — Spanish Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Girl's Choir 1,2; Alfred T. Mahan High School, Keflavik, Iceland; Interest: Secretary

LENNOX, LAURIE — Safety 1; Interest: Modeling

LEUTHARD, EVELYN — Pep Club 1,2,3; Girl's Choir 3

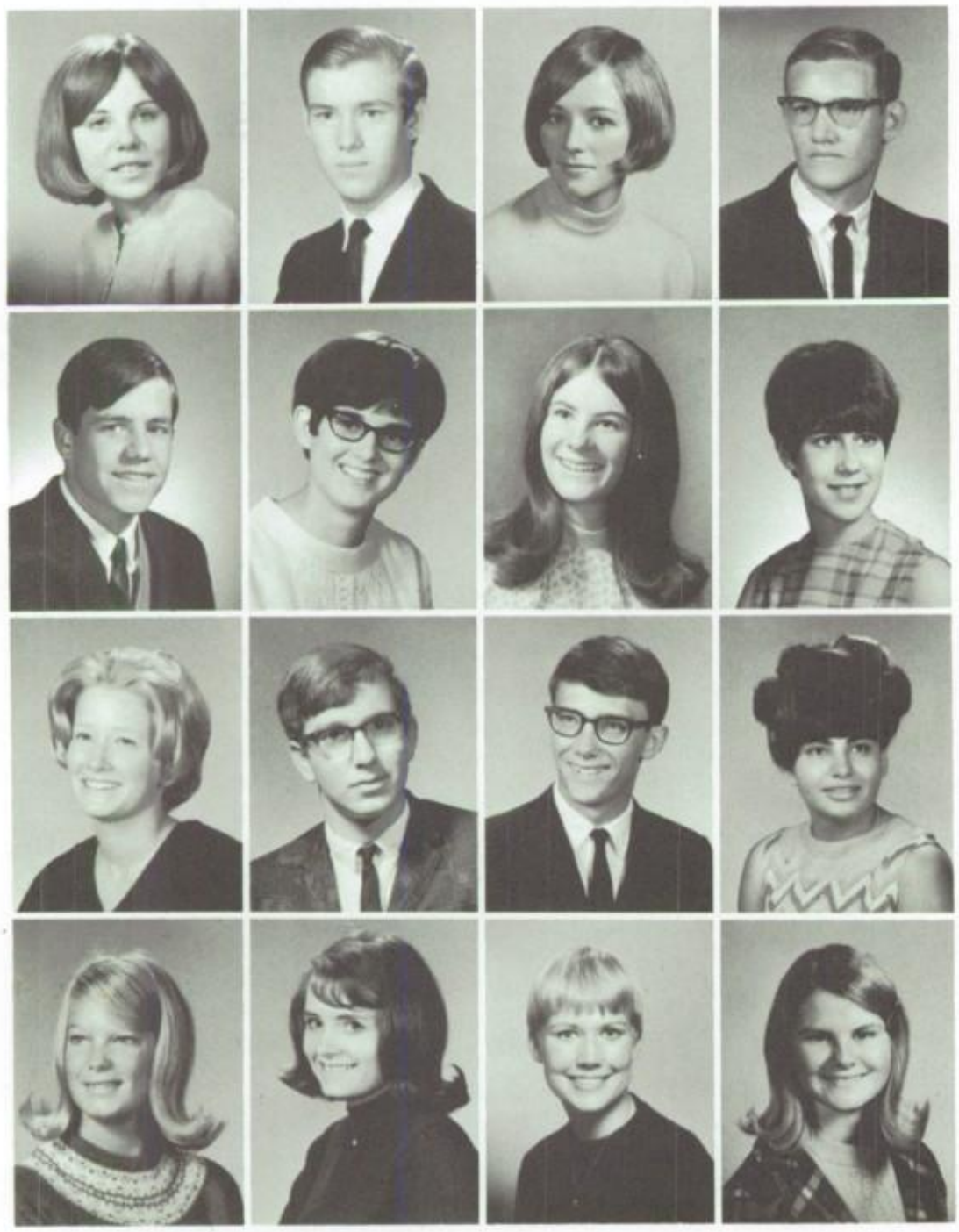
LEWIS, MARGARET — Band 1,2,3; Interest: Psychologist

LILEY, PEGGY — F.B.L.A. 2,3; Future Secretaries of America 1; Interest: Secretary



Seniors K-M

Loyal T-Birds spent a chilly afternoon tramping in the snow before the Homecoming game against Central.



LINCOLN, SUZANNE — Social 1,3; Treasury 1; German Club 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 3; National Honor Society 3; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Band 1; Interest: Oceanography

LINDSEY, BOYD — Interest: Armed Service

LINDSEY, NONA — Assemblies 2; Morale 1; Courtesy 2,3; Records 3; Social 1,2,3; F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2

LOCKWOOD, BOB — Safety 2,3; C Club 3; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1; Intramurals 1; Interest: Agronomy

LOFTUS, MARK — Football 1; Track 1,2,3; Carlisle Senior High, Carlisle, Pennsylvania; Interest: Architect

LONG, MARGARET — Records 3; Social 1,2; F.T.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Elementary Education

LOWDER, PHYLLIS — Pom Pon Girls 2,3; Pep Club 1; Thunderbolt 3; Interest: College

LUMMIS, BECKY — Social 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Airline Stewardess

MacCORQUODALE, PATRICIA — General Assembly 1; Forum 2,3; Spanish Club 1,2; F.T.A. 2,3; International Relations 1,2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Penman 2,3; Interest: International Relations

MARSTERS, JOHN — Ski Club 1,2; Interest: Air Force

MARTIN, JAMES — C Club 1,2,3; Track 1,2; Cross Country 2,3; Interest: Physical Education

MARTINEZ, VELEDA — Band 1; Interest: Stewardess

MASON, SHERI — Courtesy 3; Records 3; Social 3; Pep Club 1,2; F.B.L.A.; Girl's Gymnastics; Interest: Elementary Education

MATHIS, PATRICIA — Inter-Club Council 2; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Prep Choir 2; Interest: Secretary

MAURITZ, ARDELLA — Spanish Club 1; G.A.A. 1; Ski Club 1,2; Girl's Choir 1; Jr. Achievement 2,3; Rudyard High School, Rudyard, Michigan; Interest: College

MAXEDON, CATHY — Majorettes 1,2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Girl's Gymnastics 1; Interest: Airline Hostess

MAXWELL, JOHN—Ski Club 1,2; Rodeo Club 2,3; Footlighters 1; Track 1; Iolani High School, Honolulu, Hawaii; Interest: Marine Biology

McATEE, DONALD — Inter-Club Council 3; Choristers 2; D.E.C.A. 2,3; Interest: Real Estate

McCARTHY, PATRICK — C Club 1,2,3; Swim 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Kapaun High School, Wichita, Kansas; Interest: College

McCLELLAN, JIM — Ski Club 1,2; Penman 1,2,3; Interest: Anthropology

McCLINTON, CARLA — General Assembly 2; Publicity 1,2; Social 1,2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Data Processor

McCORD, KATHLEEN — F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Interest: Teaching

McCORKLE, SCOTT — Interest: College

McGHEE, JOHN — Interest: Automotive Mechanics

McHONE, RIC — Interest: Psychology

McHUGH, ERNIE — Wa-Tones 3; Basketball 1; Football 1,2; Swim 2; Track 1,2; Ottumwa High School, Ottumwa, Iowa: Interest: Orthodontistry

McISAAC, BETTE ANN — Pep Club 2; Junior Red Cross 2; Shrewsbury High School, Shrewsbury, Mass.; Interest: Airline Stewardess

McLAUGHLIN, GLORIA — G.A.A. 1; Girl's Gymnastics 2; Benet Hill Girls Academy; Interest: Physical Education Teacher

McRAE, DEBBIE — General Assembly 1; Ski Club 1; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; West Anchorage High School, Anchorage, Alaska; Interest: Anthropology

McWILLIAMS, BARRY — Inter-Club Council 3; Chess Club 2,3; International Relations 3; Interest: Minister

MELTON, GAIL — Pep Club 1; Interest: Nursing

MERRELL, JAMES — Interest: Art Teaching

METCALF, MIKEALIENE — Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; Girl's Gymnastics 2; Interest: College

METCALF, SCOTT—C Club 2,3; Hockey 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Aerospace Engineering

MEYER, BARBARA — Publicity 2; German Club 3; Band 1,2,3; Interest: Dental Hygiene

MILES, JUDY — Records 3; Publicity 1,2; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: Nursing

MILLER, NANCY — Publicity 3; G.A.A. 3; Pep Club 1,2,3; F.B.L.A. 3; F.S.A. 3; Interest: Secretarial

MILLER, PAT — Pom Pon Girls 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: College

MITCHELL, CORINNE — F.T.A. 1; Pep Club 1; Girl's Choir 1; LaFollete High School, Madison, Wisconsin; Interest: Home Economics

MITCHELL, DAN — Bowling Club 1; Interest: Biology

MOCK, CAREN — G.A.A. 2; Interest: Business

MONNETT, MARILYN — F.T.A. 1,3; G.A.A. 2,3; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Wasson Puppeteers 1; Interest: Elementary Teaching

MOON, JOHN — General Assembly 1; Safety 1,2; Ski Club 1; C Club 1, 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Swim 1,2; Track 1,2,3; Interest: College

MOTT, THERESA — Pre-Med 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; Junior Red Cross 1,2,3; Tri-Hy-Y 2,3; Interest: Nursing

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Seniors
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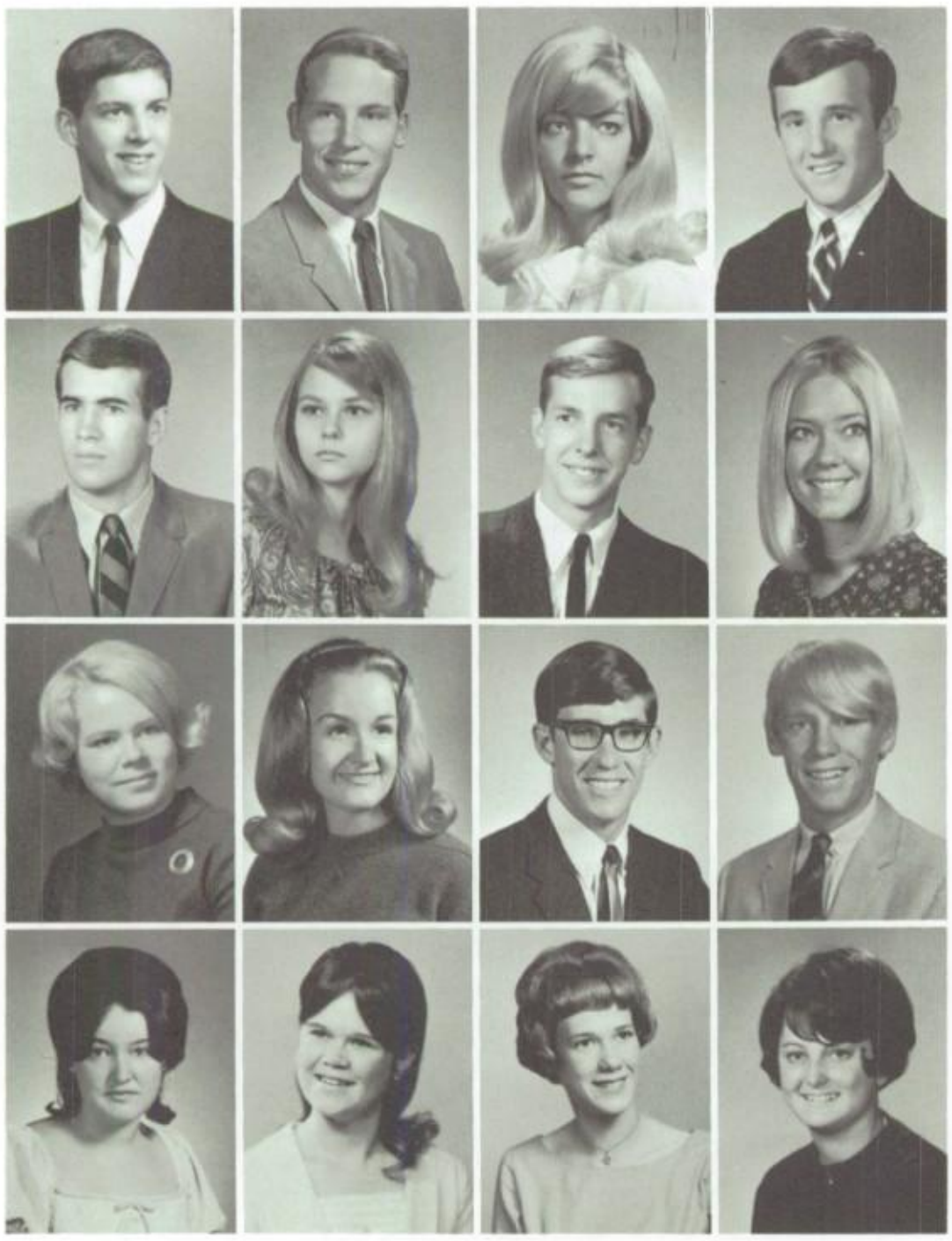


MUELLER, ROBERT — Safety 1,2; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2; Math Club 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 1, 2,3; Interest: Pre-Medicine

MUIR, DAVE—C Club 1,2,3; Hockey 1,2,3; Chippewa Secondary School, North Bay, Ontario, Canada; Interest: Dentistry

MULLINS, JUDY — General Assembly 2; Social 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 2; Pom Pon Girls 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Girl's Gymnastics 1,2,3; Interest: College Teacher

MURPHY, DAVE — Safety 1,2; Treasury 2; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 3; Golf 3; St. Mary's High School; Interest: American History Teacher

MURPHY, JOHN — Safety 1,2; Ski Club 1; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Interest: Architecture

MYERS, JUDY — Social 3; Pre-Med 1; Choristers 3; Girl's Choir 1; Thespians 3; Interest: Model

NELSON, KENT — Latin Club 1; German Club 2; National Honor Society 2,3; Band 1; Track 1; Cross Country 1,2; Interest: Architecture

NELSON, MARCIA — Social 1; Latin Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Band 1,2; Orchestra 1,2; Interest: Social Work

NELSON, SANDRA — Rodeo Club 3; F.B.L.A. 3; Interest: Teaching

NETTLETON, NANCY — Social 1,2; F.T.A. 3; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; Interest: Home Economics

NEVIUS, CHARLES — General Assembly 3; Morale 1,2,3; Publicity 1,2; Social 1,2,3; German Club 2; Ski Club 2; National Honor Society 3; Baseball 2; Interest: College

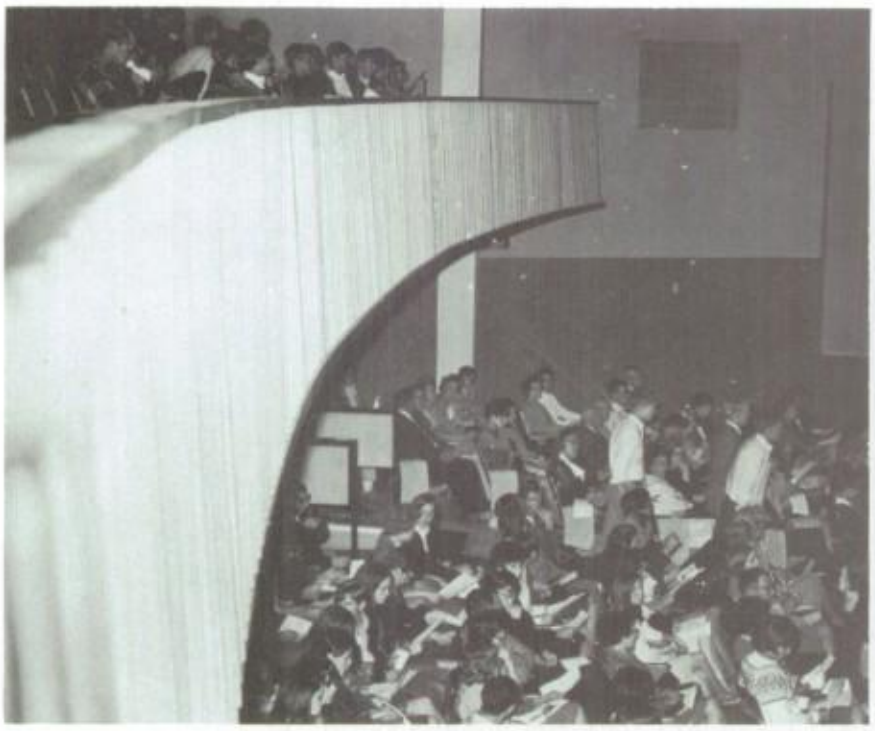
NEWCOMER, LANCE — General Assembly 1; Safety 1; Intramurals 2,3; D.E.C.A. 3; Interest: Commercial Pilot

NEWMAN, BARBARA — Wasson Homemakers 2; Junior Red Cross 1; Interest: Secretary

NIELSEN, DEBRA — Interest: Dress Designer

NIELSON, KAY — Safety 1; Latin Club 1,2; G.A.A. 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 1,2; Interest: Secretary

NORRIS, VICKI — Cabinet 3; General Assembly 2; Courtesy 2,3; Social 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Choristers 2,3; Watones 2,3; Interest: Speech Pathology



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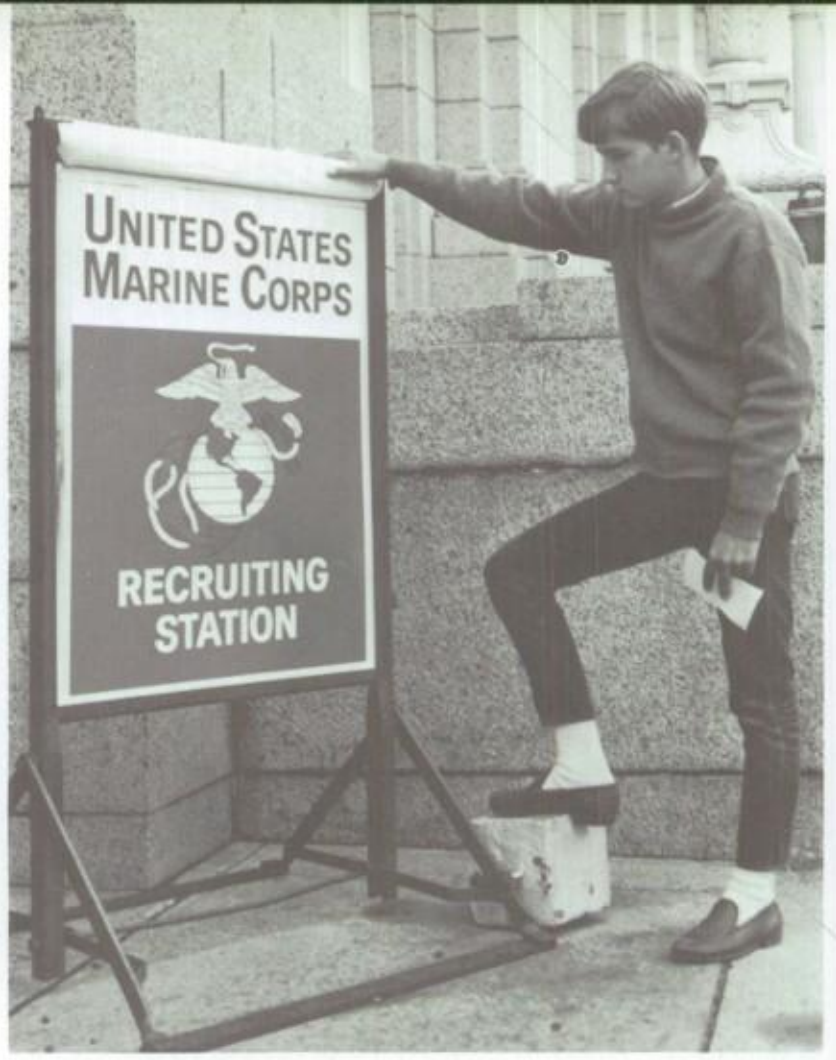


Contemplating a military career, Max Hinkle looks to the future.

Seniors N -R

NOXON, CINDY — Cabinet 3; Publicity 2,3; Social 1,2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Choristers 3; Wa-tones 3; Band 1,2; Footlighters 2; Interest: Teaching

NOYES, ALLAN — Oliver Ames High School, Easton, Massachusetts; Interest: Electronics

OAKS, ROBERT — Alamosa High School, Alamosa, Colorado

O'DONNELL, MARY CLARE — Assemblies 2; Morale 2; G.A.A. 1,2,3; Ski Club 2; Band 1,2,3; Pope John XXIII High School, Sparta, New Jersey; Interest: Bio-Chemistry

OELRICH, PAUL M. — Publicity 2,3; German Club 3; International Relations 3; National Honor Society 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Intramurals 2; Killeen High School, Killeen, Texas; Interest: Social Science

OFFUTT, BILLY — Interest: Construction Worker

OFFUTT, DICK — Inter-Club Council 3; Rifle Club 1; C Club 2,3; Manager, Football 2,3; Interest: Architect

OLSON, CRAIG — Ski Club 1,2; Gymnastics 1,2; Track 1; Wrestling 1,3; Cross Country 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest Forestry

ORLOFSKY, DANNY

PAGELS, DOUG — Ski Club 1; Wahian 3; C Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 3; Interest: College

PAIRO, JANETTE — General Assembly 3; Pep Club 1,2; Girl's Gymnastics 1; Interest: Data Processing

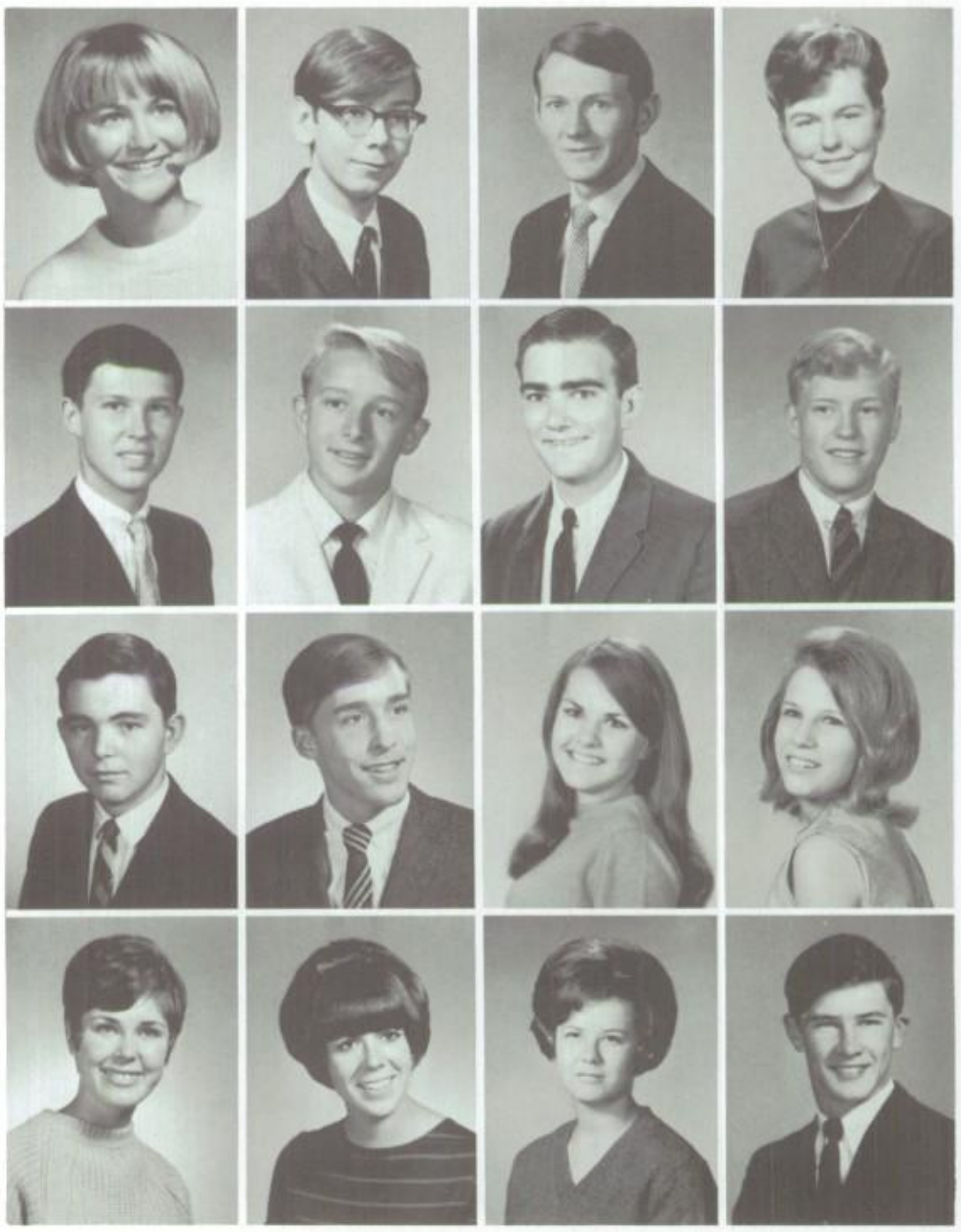
PALMER, JANICE WENDY — Englewood High School, Englewood, Colorado

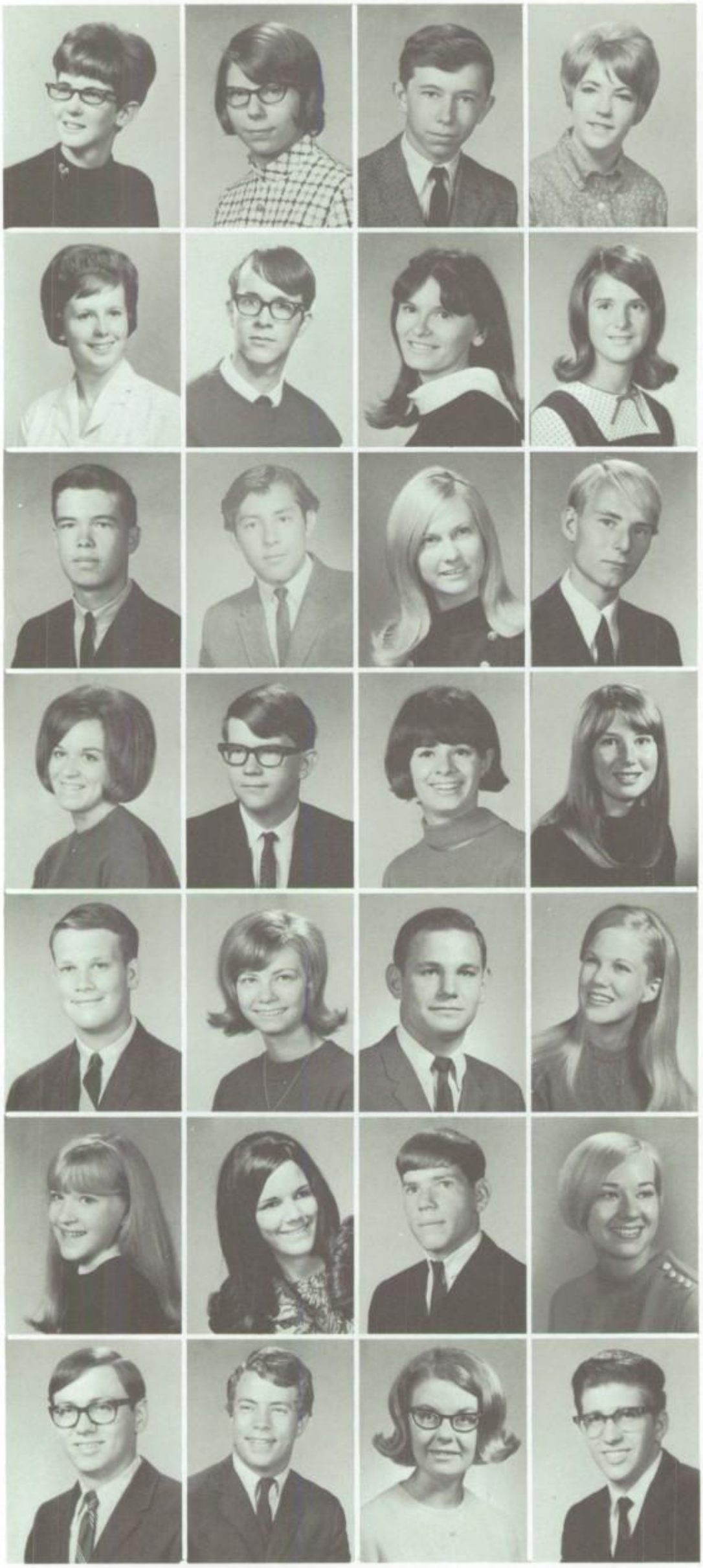
PALMER, SOOZI

PARISI, CORINNE — F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 2; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3

PARKER, LETA — National Honor Society 3; Interest: Secretary

PATTERSON, RICK — Cabinet 3; General Assembly 1; Treasury 3; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 2,3; Band 1,2; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Football 1,2; Interest: Law





PATTISON, LINDA — Publicity 2; Majorettes 2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Interest: Airline Stewardess

PEARSON, TERESA — Social 2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Girl's Choir 2,3; Prep Choir 1; Junior Achievement 1,2; Interest: Veterinarian

PEARSON, TIMOTHY — Choristers 2,3; Prep Choir 1; Bass Clef 1; Interest: Interior Decorating

PENNINGTON, MARY — Courtesy 3; Records 3; Social 1,2; Ski Club 1 2; Footlighters 2; Interest: Counseling

PETERSON, DEANA — Pep Club 1; Girl's Choir 2; Prep Choir 1; Office Monitor 2,3; D.E.C.A. 3; Palmer High School; Interest: Nursing

PETERSON, JERRY

PETTY, LINDA — Pep Club 1; Footlighters 2,3; Thespians 2,3; Interest: College

PHILLIPS, GINNY — Pom Pon Girls 1,2,3; Spanish Club 3; F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 3; Girl's Choir 2; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: College

PIERSON, JIM — Interest: Forestry

PINO, CLAUDE

PNIAK, JEANNE — Records 1; Publicity 1; Social 1; Ski Club 1,2; Penman 3; Interest: I.B.M. Programming

PRATT, VICTOR B.

PREWETT, KATHY — General Assembly 1; Assemblies 2; Morale 1; Records 2,3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: College

PRIMM, MICHAEL — German Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Footlighters 2,3; Thespians 3; Interest: Engineering

QUANTE, J. G.—Morale 1; G.A.A. 1; Pep Club 1; Wakefield High School, Arlington, Virginia; Interest: Mathematics

QUINN, JILL — Cabinet 2; F.T.A. 2; G.A.A. 1,2; Choristers 2,3; Spring Valley High School, Spring Valley, Wisconsin; Interest: College

RAGLE, BILL — Morale 1; Forum 1; German Club 2,3; Ski Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; Band 1; Swim 1,2,3; Interest: College

RANKINE, MARY — Publicity 2; Pep Club 1,2; F.B.L.A. 3; Orchestra 1; Future Secretaries of America 3; Interest: Secretary

RASMUSSEN, CRAIG — Courtesy 3; Social 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 3; Football 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Electrical Engineering

RATACZAK, MARLENE — General Assembly 1,2; Assemblies 3; Courtesy 3; Publicity 2,3; Social 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Psychology

RAUCH, PATTY — Pom Pon Girls 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Footlighters 2,3; Thespians 2,3; Interest: College

RAVIOTTA, LINDA — Assemblies 3; Records 3; Social 1,2,3; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 1,3; Footlighters 1; Photo Club 2; Interest: Business

RAY, BRUCE — Safety 3; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Dentistry

REDDING, PAMELA — Inter-Club Council 3; Social 2,3; Latin Club 1; German Club 2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Orchestra 1; Interest: College

REED, JOHN — Morale 3; Publicity 2; Social 2,3; Basketball 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Law

REED, MICHAEL — Forum 3; International Relations 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Interest: Social Sciences

REUTER, KAREN — Morale 3; Courtesy 3; Social 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 2,3; Prep Choir 1; Interest: College

RHODEBECK, MARLIN — National Honor Society 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2; Stage Band 2; Interest: Mechanical Engineering

RIDGEWAY, PAULETTE — Interest: Secretary

RIEAD, JAN — Latin Club 1; Pre-Med 1; George C. Marshall Regional High School, Ankara, Turkey; Interest: Psychology

RIGGS, KAREN — F.T.A. 2; G.A.A. 1; Choristers 3; Bagley High School, Bagley, Minnesota; Interest: Bookkeeper

RIOTH, LILA — General Assembly 3; Publicity 2,3; Social 2, 3; F.T.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Interest: Art

ROBERTS, LYNN — Social 1,2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Elementary Teacher

ROBERTS, SUSIE — Pep Club 3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Interest: Nurse

ROBINSON, CAROLYN — Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 1,2; Interest: Executive Secretary

ROBINSON, DAVE — Ski Club 1,2; C Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Intramurals 2,3; Interest: College

ROE, TIM — General Assembly 2; Interest: Architecture

ROSS, EILEEN — Social 3; F.T.A. 1,2,3; Ski Club 2; Pep Club 2; French Club 3; St. Mary's High School; Interest: Peace Corps

ROTH, JANICE — Pre-Med 1; G.A.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wasson Literary Guild 3; Interest: Doctor

RUSSELL, KIRK

SALAZAR, GEORGE M.

SALISBURY, DEBRA — Publicity 2; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: College

SANDEFUR JR., JOHN B. — Band 2,3; Stage Band 2,3; Interest: Forestry

SANDUSKY, LINDA — Ski Club 1; Library Monitor 1,2,3; Wasson Homemakers 2,3; Footlighters 2; Interest: Airline Hostess

SAUERHAGEN, DEBBIE — Cabinet 3; Records 1,2,3; Pom Pon Girls 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Girl's Gymnastics 2; Interest: Secretary

SCARIANO, SUSAN M. — General Assembly 1; Publicity 1; Social 1,2,3; Pom Pon Girls 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Psychology

SCHANBERGER, CATHI — Pom Pon Girls 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 2,3; Penman 3; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Interest: Special Education

SCHILLING, GARY — Track 2,3

SCHMITT, RUSSELL — Inter-Club Council 1,2,3; Publicity 1,2; German Club 1,2,3; Thunderbolt 3; Math Club 1; Golf 2; Intramurals 1,2,3; Photo Club 1,2,3; Interest: Marine Biology

SCHMITT, STEVE — Morale 1,2,3; Publicity 2,3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 2; Football 1; Track 1,2; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: College

SCHMITZ, JUDY K.

SCHNURR, STEVE — Gymnastics 1; Interest: Accounting

SCHOMAKER, STEVEN — Rifle Club 3; Rodeo Club 3; Manager, Varsity Football 1; San Goryonio High School, San Bernadino, California; Interest: Veterinarian

SCHROLL, PATRICIA — Pep Club 1,2,3; Girl's Choir 1,2,3; Interest: College

SCHWARTZ, FRANK — General Assembly 2; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 1; Track 1; Interest: College

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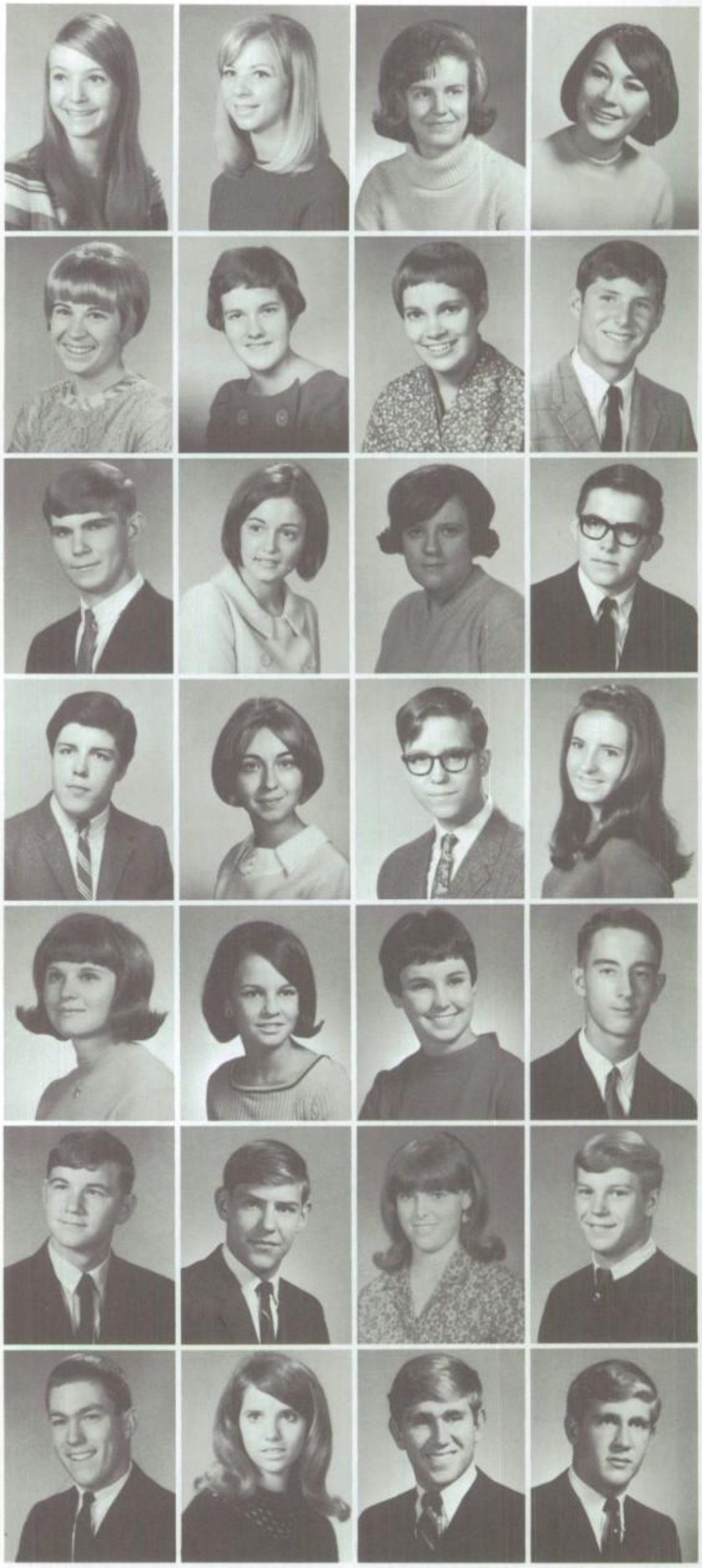


SCOTT, JEFF — C Club 2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3

SCRUGGS, DENNIS — F.B.L.A. 2; Radford High School, Honolulu, Hawaii; Interest: U.S. Air Force

SHAVER, DODIE — Pre-Med 1; Pep Club 1; Interest: Nursing

SHAW, BENSON — Publicity 1,2; German Club 3; National Honor Society 3; C Club 3; Band 1,2; Swim 1,2,3; Interest: Chemistry

SHAW, DAVID — Ski Club 1,2; Wrestling 1,2; Intramurals 2,3; Interest: Electronics Engineer

SHINN, GLENN E.

SHUMATE, TOM — Football 1; Interest: Art Teacher

SIMMETH, CHRISTINE — Library Monitor 1; Palmer High School; Interest: Beautician

SIMPSON, LINDA — Publicity 2; Social 2,3; Latin Club 1,2; German Club 2,3; G.A.A. 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Interest: Teacher

SISK, PAUL — Inter-Club Council 3; Chess Club 1,2,3; Spanish Club 2, 3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 3; Tennis 3; Intramurals 1; Manager, Tennis 3; Interest: Secondary Teaching

SKELTON, CHRISTOPHER — Rifle Club 3; C Club 2,3; Tennis 2,3; Interest: Civil Engineering

SKODACK, LARRY — General Assembly 1; C Club 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Interest: Secondary Education

SLATER, DOROTHEA — Inter-Club Council 3; Social 3; German Club 2, 3; G.A.A. 2,3; Wasson Literary Guild 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Wasson Puppet Club 1,2; Interest: Political Science

SLETTA, STEVE — Forum 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; Wahian 2,3; Football 1; Intramurals 3; Interest: Law

SMITH, BILL — C Club 3; Band 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2

SMITH, GLENDEENA — Publicity 2,3; Social 1; G.A.A. 2,3; Pep Club 2, 3; Modern Dance Club 1; Palmer High School; Interest: Data Processing

SMITH, JO ANN — Social 2,3; Treasury 3; Junior Civitan's 1,2; French Club 1,2; Tri-Hi-Y; Annandale High School, Annandale, Virginia; Interest: Diplomatic Service

SMITH, KAREN — Pep Club 1; Choristers 1; Track 1; Eaton High School, Eaton, Colorado

SMITH, ROWLAND D.

SMITH, SHIRLEY — General Assembly 1,2; Assemblies 2,3; Morale 3; Courtesy 3; Social 3; Choristers 1,2,3; Wa-tones 3; Footlighters 3; Interest: College

Seniors anxiously await for their train tickets for the annual senior trip.

Seniors R - S

SMITH, STEVE — F.T.A. 3; C Club 3; Track 2,3; Wrestling 3; Baseball 1; Cross Country 2,3; Interest: Teaching

SMITH, TERRI — Pep Club 1,2

SNOBBLE, HEIDI — Future Scientists 1,2,3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Wasson Puppet Club 1,2; Interest: Anthropology

SNOOK, CURTIS — National Honor Society 3; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 2,3; Prep Choir 1, Bass Clef; Interest: Music

SNOW, PAULINE — Morale 1; Ski Club 2; Footlighters 1; Interest: Elementary Teacher

SNYDER, CHERYL — Pep Club 1; Interest: Modeling

SORENSEN, RITA — F.B.L.A. 1,2; Interest: Business

SPARGUR, TONI — Publicity 1; Ski Club 2; Thunderbolt 3; Photography 2,3; Interest: Airline Hostess

STACHOSKI, LINDA — Interest: Florists Assistant

STEGNER, JILL — National Honor Society 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Girl's Gymnastics 2,3; Pep Band 1,2,3; Interest: Elementary Education

STEINER, LIZ — General Assembly 1,2; Social 1,2; F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: College

STEINER, STEVEN — General Assembly 3; Morale 3; Social 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; C Club 2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Engineering

STEPHENS, BRENDA — Latin Club 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; Junior Red Cross 2,3; Interest: Nursing

STEWART, DAN — Pre-Med 1; Blackstone High School, Blackstone, Virginia; Interest: Psychology

STEWART, ROBERT — National Honor Society 3; Intramurals 2,3; Manager, Baseball, Basketball 2,3; Atauga County High School, Prattville, Alabama; Interest: Medicine

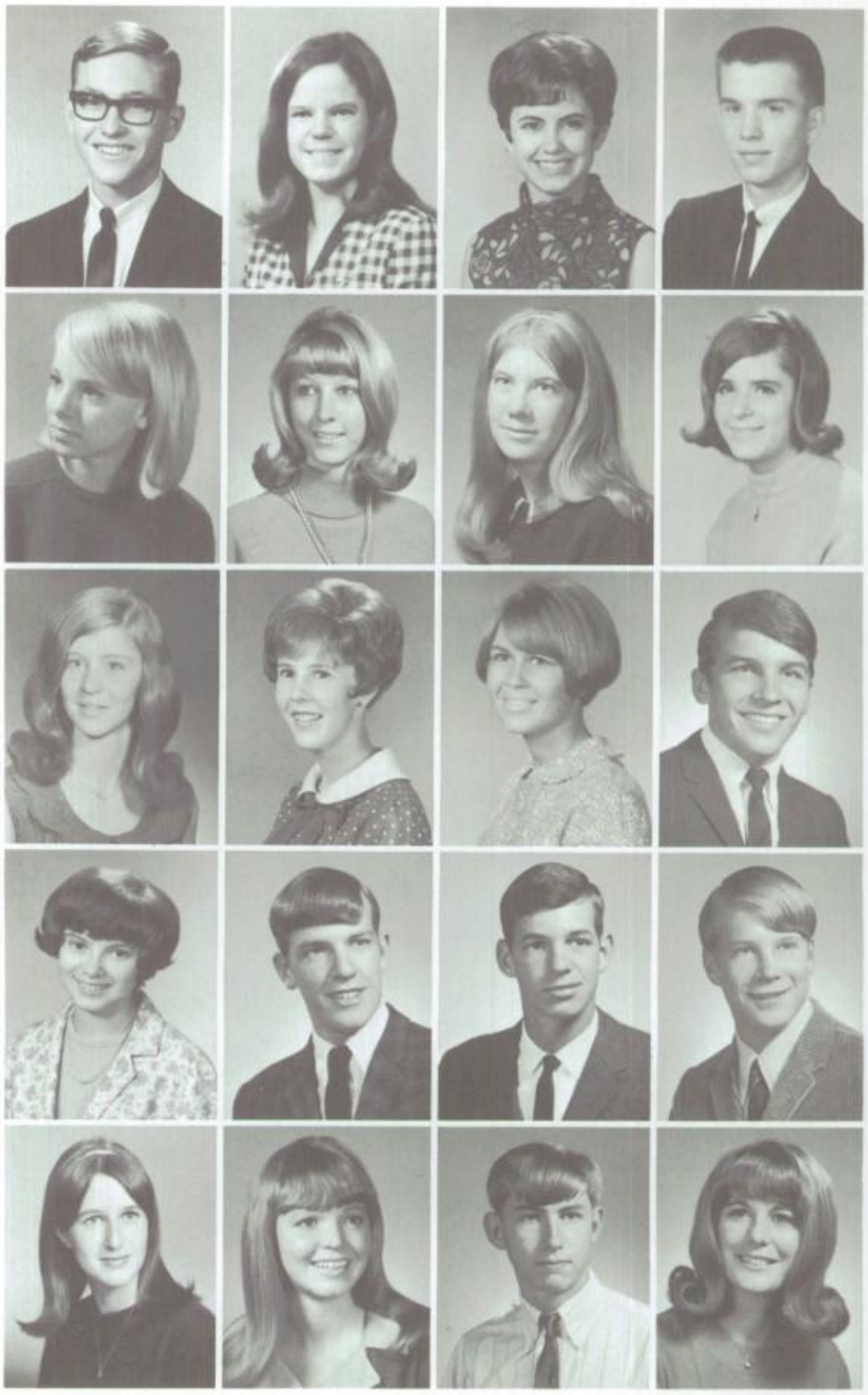
STOCK, MARK — Publicity 1,2; Social 1,2; Ski Club 1,2; Swim 1; Golf 2; Intramurals 1,2; Interest: Oceanography

STONE, BARB — Inter-Club Council 3; Ski Club 2; Choristers 3; Footlighters 2; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Stewardess

STRESEMANN, JANET — Social 1; Pep Club1; Interest: Airline Stewardess

STRICKLAND, MIKE — Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 2; Interest: Forestry

STRICKLAND, SANDY — General Assembly 1; Morale 1,2,3; Social 1,2; Cheerleaders 2; Pom Pon Girls 3; Latin Club 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Photo Club 2; Interest: Secondary Education



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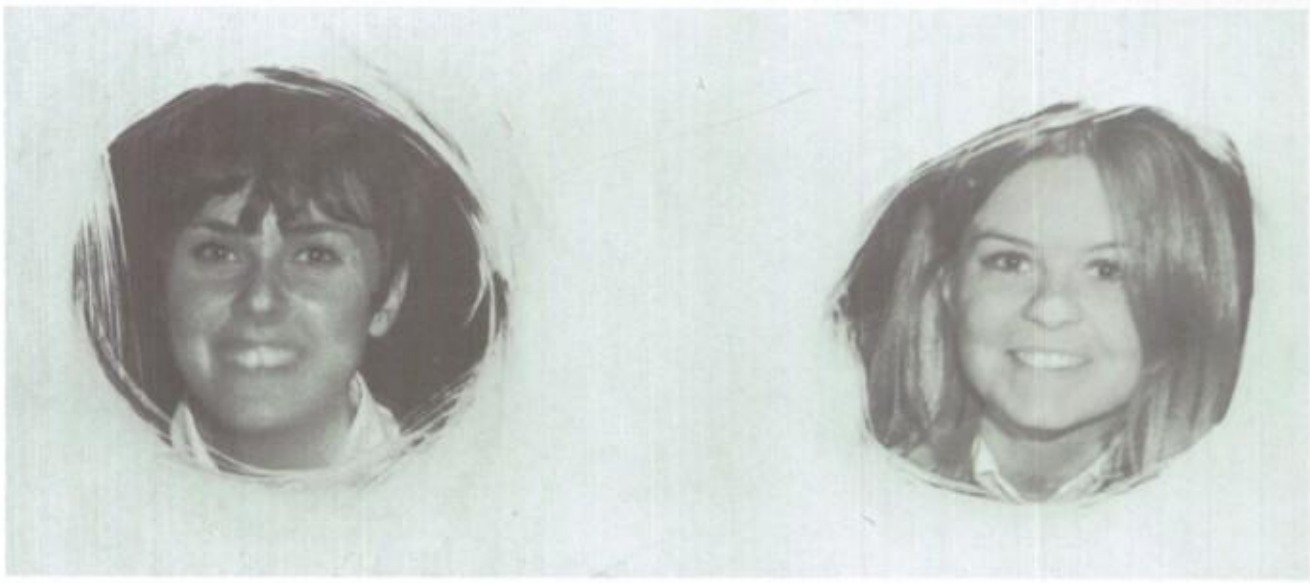
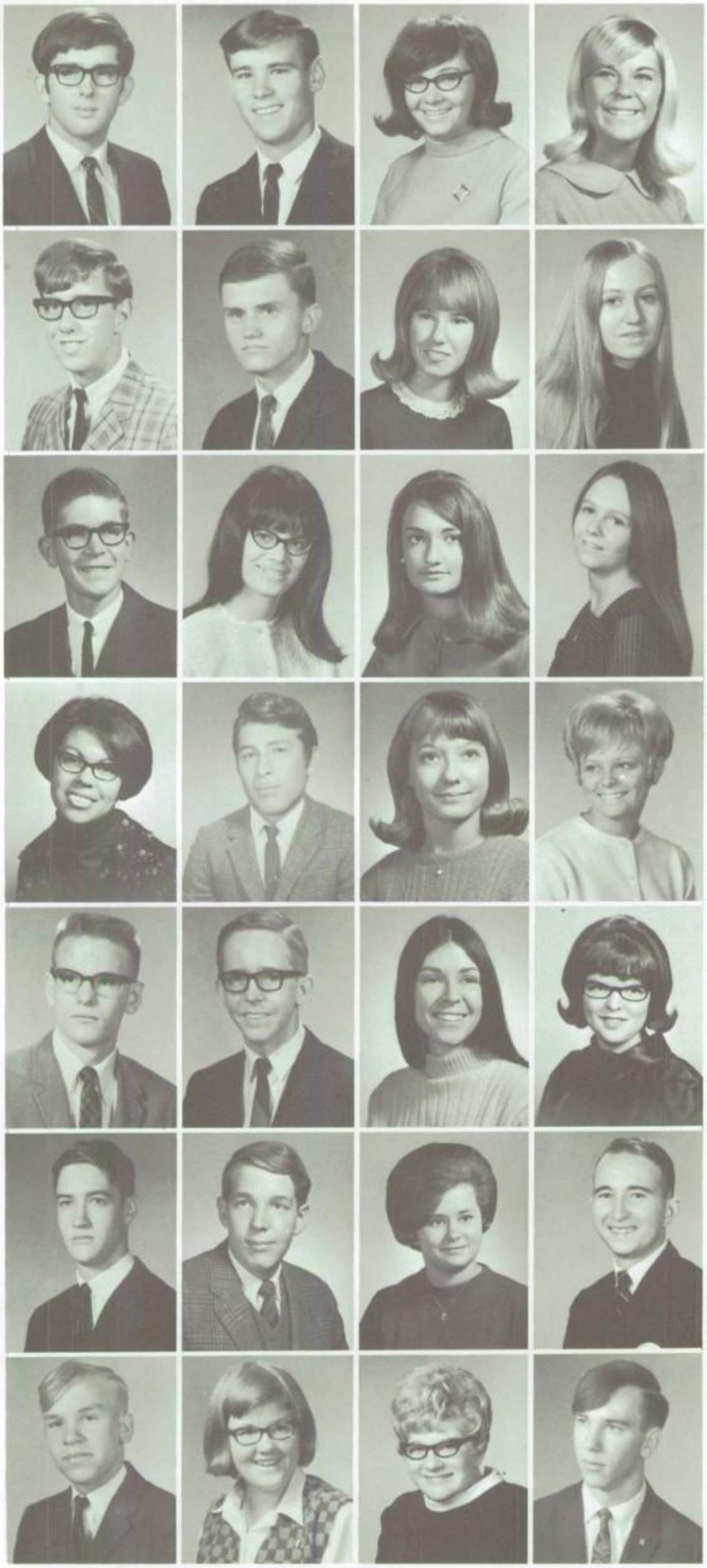




STRICKLIN, DAN — Interest Automotive Mechanic

STUCHLIK, WAYNE — Gymnastics 1; Swim 1; Interest: Business

STWERTNIK, MARY F.

SWANSON, DANA — Social 1,2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Peace Corps

SWEET, DOUG — Ski Club 1; Gymnastics 1; Interest: Psychiatry

SWIATEK, WILLIAM R.

TANDA, KATHI — General Assembly 1,2; Records 1,3; Social 1,2,3; Pom Pon 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Interest: College

THIEL, ROBIN — Interest: Art

THOMPSON, CRAIG — Band 2; Wrestling 1; Mcfarland High School, Mcfarland, Wisconsin

THROCKMORTON, SUSAN — Footlighters 1; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Secretary

TOLLIS, MELANIE — Interest: Interior Decorating

TRAVIS, KATHY — Girl's Choir 1,2,3

TRUJILLO, CATHERINE — Assemblies 3; Courtesy 3; Publicity 2; Social 3; Interest: Secretary

TRUJILLO, PETE — Wrestling 2; Manual High School, Denver; Interest: Wrestling

TRULL, SHERIDAN — Latin Club 1; G.A.A. 1,2; Bowling Club 2; Pep Club 1,2; Publicity 3; Interest: Nursing

TURNBAUGH, KAY — Assemblies 3; Publicity 2,3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 2,3; Interest: Public Relations

TURNER, DANIEL — Latin Club 1; C Club 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2, 3; Swim 1,2,3; Pep Band 1,2,3; Interest: Music Education

TURVEY, EARLE — Chess Club 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Engineering

TWOMEY, BARBARA — Publicity 1; Social 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; Wahian 3; Photo Club 2,3; Penman 3; Thespians 1,2; Interest: Interior Decorator

TYLER, SHERYL — Morale 2,3; Social 3; Spanish Club 1; G.A.A. 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 3; Girl's Choir 2; Office Monitor 2,3; Interest: Music

UPSHAW, CHARLES — Ski Club 1,2; Gymnastics 1,2; Golf 2,3; Intramurals 2,3; Interest: Pilot

VANDERWEGE, JOHN — Treasury 2; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 2,3; Interest: Psychology

VANDEVENTER, PAM — G.A.A. 1; Bowling Club 1,2,3; Pep Club 1; Girl's Gymnastics 1; Hall Monitor 1; Interest: General Office Work

VARLEY, CARL — Rifle Club 1,2; Bowling Club 1,2,3; Math Club 1,2; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 2; Intramurals 2,3; Interest: Vocational Wood Teaching

VERBURG, MARK — Ski Club 1,2; Band 1,2,3

VOYLES, MARY — Pep Club 2,3; International Relations 3; Math Club 3; National Honor Society 2,3; Wasson Literary Guild 1,2,3; Interest: Historical Research

WAGNER, MARLENE — Pre-Med 2; Air Academy High School; Interest: Medical Technology

WAITSCHIES, GARY — Morale 1,2; German Club 1,2,3; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Football 1; Interest: Journalism

WALKER, CHERYL — Pep Club 1; Library Monitor 2; Interest: Mechanic

WALKER, JAMES — Rifle Club 1; Bowling Club 1; Band 1; Baseball 1; Intramurals 1; St. John's Military Academy, Delafield, Wisconsin; Interest: Aerospace Engineer

WARNER, CHARLES — Wrestling 2; Intramurals 3; Interest: Electrical Engineer

WASHBURN, MONTY — Morale 1,2; Publicity 2,3; Band 1,2,3; Orchestra 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,3; Interest: Professional Drummer

WATSON, DAVIS — National Honor Society 3; Tennis 1,2,3; Interest: Business

WATSON, MIKE

WATSON, TERRY — C Club 1,2,3; Gymnastics 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Swim 1,3; Interest: Coach

WATTS, BEV — F.B.L.A. 1; Air Academy High School; Interest: Secretary

WEIGEL, SALLY — Pom Pon Girls 1,2,3; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Wahian 3; Interest: Statistician

WEIHER, CHRIS — Courtesy 1,2; Publicity 1,2; Social 2,3; German Club 2; Pep Club 1,2,3; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Interest: Secretary

WENDT, TRICIA — Cabinet 3; Morale 1,2,3; Social 1,2,3; Pom Pon Girls 1,2; F.T.A. 3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Elementary Education

WESTERDAHL, JULIE — General Assembly 1,3; Courtesy 3; Records 1, 3; Social 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Social Work

WHALE, TRUDY — Courtesy 2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Library Monitor 1,2,3; Wasson Homemakers 3; Footlighters 1,2,3; Interest: Veterinarian

WHALEY, W. L. — Courtesy 3; Social 3; Ski Club 1,2; C Club 1,2,3; Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Music

WHITMORE, TERRY — General Assembly 1,2; Morale 3; Social 1,2,3; Latin Club 2; Pep Club 1; Interest: Business

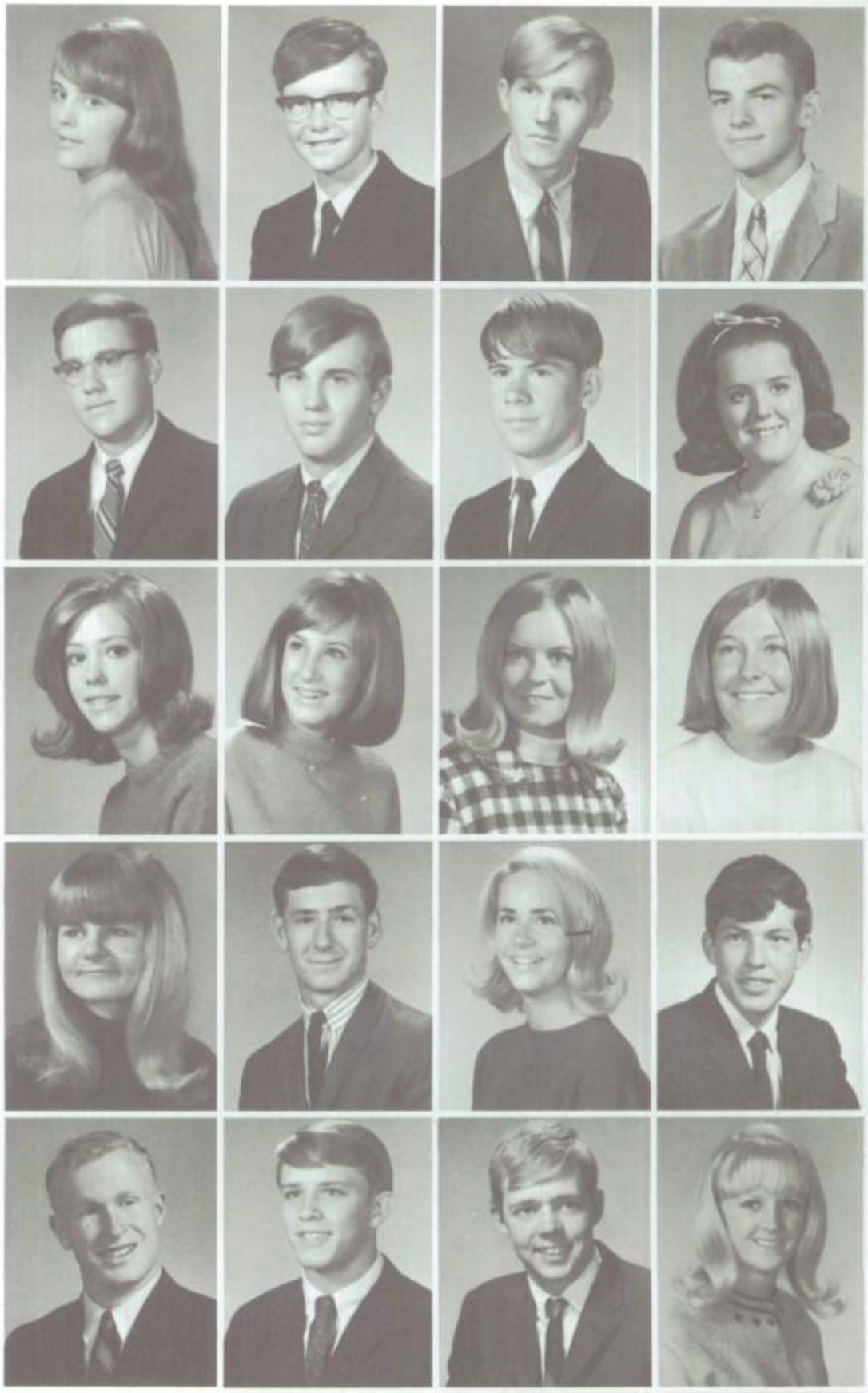
WILDENSTEIN, KARL

WILLIAMS, CLAY — General Assembly 3; Safety 2; National Honor Society 3; C Club 2,3; Prep Choir 1; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Interest: Engineering

WILLIAMS, LARRY — Morale 1,2; Safety 1,2; Treasury 1; C Club 3; Band 1; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 2,3; Intramurals 1,2,3; Interest: Coaching

WILLIAMS, MIKE — C Club 2,3; Hockey 2,3; Interest: Engineering

WILSON, JAN — Assemblies 2,3; Morale 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; National Honor Society 3; Interest: Elementary Education



WILSON ROB — Publicity 2; Quill and Scroll 3; Wahian 2,3; C Club 2,3; Basketball 1; Tennis 1,2,3; Golf 2,3; Interest: Journalism

WINDAUGH, DONNA — Publicity 1,2; German Club 1; G.A.A. 2; Pep Club 1; F.B.L.A. 3; Thespians 1; Interest: Dental Assistant

WINTERS, REED — Swim 1,2; Wagner High School, Phillipines; Interest: Mathematician

WORTHEY, LINDA — Safety 1; Choristers 2,3; Girl's Choir 1; D.E.C.A. 3; Interest: Beautician

WRAITH, JON — Morale 1; Chess Club 1,2; Latin Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Choristers 2; Wa-tones 2; Prep Choir 1; Swim 2; Interest: Mechanical Engineering

WRIGHT, MARIE — Morale 1,2,3; Publicity 1; Social 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 2,3; Pom Pon Girls 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Airline Hostess

WRIGHT, SUE — General Assembly 1; Publicity 1,2,3; Social 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; Choristers 2,3; Wa-tones 3; Footlighters 1,2,3; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Music

ZIGURS, BRIGITA — Footlighters 3; Interest: History

ZOELLNER, JERRY — Ski Club 1,2; National Honor Society 3; Band 1,2, 3; Stage Band 3; Swim 1; Interest: Engineering

NORWOOD, MASON—National Honor Society 2,3; Russian Club 2; Band 1,2,3; Catalina High School, Tucson, Arizona; Interest: Journalism

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ABERNATHY, LYNN — Publicity 2; Social 2; Interest: Secretary

BAKER, KATHRYN — Pep Club 1; Leuzinger High School, Lawndale, California; Interest: Office Work

BARHITE, DWIGHT — Rodeo Club 2; Interest: Dentist

BELGUM, DEBBIE — Pom Pon Girls 2,3; F.T.A. 2,3; Ski Club 1; Pep Club 1; Footlighters 1; Thespians 2,3; Interest: Language

BOND, DAVID — Forum 1,2; International Relations 1

BONNER, PATRICIA — General Assembly 1; Morale 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Interest: Humanities

BRANDT, KURT — Future Scientists 3; Spanish Club 2; National Honor Society 2,3; Rantoul Township High School, Rantoul, Illinois; Interest: Medicine

CASTNER, PATTI — Publicity 2; Safety 1; Social 2; Interest: Secretary

CHESTER, GEORGE — Ski Club 2; Track 2; Interest: Business Manager

DELANO, STEVE — Chess Club 2,3; Interest: History

DeMARCO, GARY

DOEDEN, LANA — Swim 2; Rapid City High School, Rapid City, South Dakota

FEATHERSTONE, MARK — General Assembly 2; Ski Club 1; Rifle Club 1; Interest: Engineer

FRANCIS, LINDA — Pep Club 1; Interest: Secretary

FREEMAN, PHIL — C Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Football 3; Baseball 1,2,3; Interest: Baseball

GAFFNEY, DENNIS — Football 1; Interest: Military

GARRISON, GEORGE — General Assembly 1; Basketball 1; Track 1; Wrestling 2; Interest: Music

GELVIN, CONNY — F.T.A. 2; Pep Club 1,2; International Relations 2; Thunderbolt 3; Quill and Scroll 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Footlighters 2; Thespians 2,3

GRAY, STEVE

GREENE, STEVE — D.E.C.A.; Harrison High School

HANSON, NANCY — Band 1,2; Student Council 1,2; Central High School, Grand Junction; Interest: Social Work

HAYNER, DAVE — Interest: Journalism

HOLCOMBE, ROBERT — San Lorenzo High School, San Leandro, California; Interest: Warehouse Work

HOLLEY, DARRELL — Thunderbolt 2,3; Wrestling 1,2,3; Roosevelt High School, Portland, Oregon

JACKSON, RICHARD — Chess Club 1; Gymnastics 2; Wrestling 1; Interest: Aviation

JACKSON, WILLIAM — Widefield High School; Interest: Aeronautics

JOHNSON, RANDALL R. — Spanish Club 3; Ski Club 1; Band 1; Football 2; Golf 1,3; Interest: Biology

JUNG, GRETCHEN — Interest: Art

KELLEY, PAULA—Future Scientists 1; F.T.A. 2; Girl's Choir 1; St. Mary's Academy, Amarillo, Texas; Interest: Library Science

KING, RANDY — Interest: Woodworking

KRAMER, RITA — Pep Club 1; Falcon High School, Falcon, Colorado; Interest: Interior Design

LEWIS, MELVIN

MARSHALL, JACK — Band 1; Air Academy High School

MARTIN, DAVID — Corbin High School, Corbin, Kentucky; Interest: Journalism

MATTHEWS, KAY — General Assembly 2; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1; National Honor Society 3; Penman 2,3

McCOY, DARCY — Spanish Club 3; Interest: Parapsychologist

METZGER, JIM — Gymnastics 1,2,3; Football 1; Hockey 1; Track 2

MORRIS, GREG — Engineer

MORRISON, ROBIN — F.T.A. 3; German Club 1; G.A.A. 1; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; F.B.L.A. 1; Interest: English Teacher

MUNOZ, PAT—Douglas County High School; Interest: Airline Stewardess

PEARCE, JANET — Publicity 1; Pom Pon Girls 1,2,3; Ski Club 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3; Interest: Cosmetologist

PETTIGREW, KERRY — Track 2; Cross Country 2,3; Interest: Law

REYNOLDS, PATRICIA — Records 1; Social 1; Treasury 1; F.T.A. 1; Pep Club 1; Girl's Choir 2,3; Prep Choir 1; Interest: Teaching

RISLEY, MARY PAT — Interest: Teacher

ROBINSON, BRUCE — Basketball 1; Track 1; Cross Country 1; Buena Vista High School, Buena Vista

ROCK, RONALD

SCHAAL, CHARLIE — Interest: Air Force

SHELLEY, LINDA—Assemblies 3; Morale 3; Courtesy 3; Wasson Homemakers 2; Thespians 2; Munich Sr. High School, Germany; Interest: Art

SHOOK, STEVE

SHREWSBURY, GARY — Interest: Automotive Engineering

SMITH, BRUCE W. — Latin Club 1; International Relations 3; Penman 3; Interest: Poet

SMITH, STEPHANIE — Pom Pon Girls 1; G.A.A. 1,2; Junior Red Cross 2; Band 1; Washon High School, Washon, Washington; Interest: Nurse

SONNKALB, SCOTT—Safety 2; Wrestling 2; Tennis 2; American School, Philippines; Interest: Commercial Flying

STOHL, VERA — Washington High School, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Interest: Beautician

SUTTON, GREG — Band 1,2; Interest: College

TAFOYA, RICK — Interest: Social Worker

TOMHAVE, PAULA — General Assembly 1; Morale 1,2,3; Publicity 1; Social 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 1,2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Interest: Elementary Education

TRACY, PAT — Interest: Commercial Art

WALLACE, JAMES — Future Scientists 3; Spanish Club 1; Ski Club 3; Gymnastics 1; Swim 1; Wrestling 1; Photo Club 1; Interest: Motorcycle Racing

WILKERSON, LARRY — Interest: Physicist

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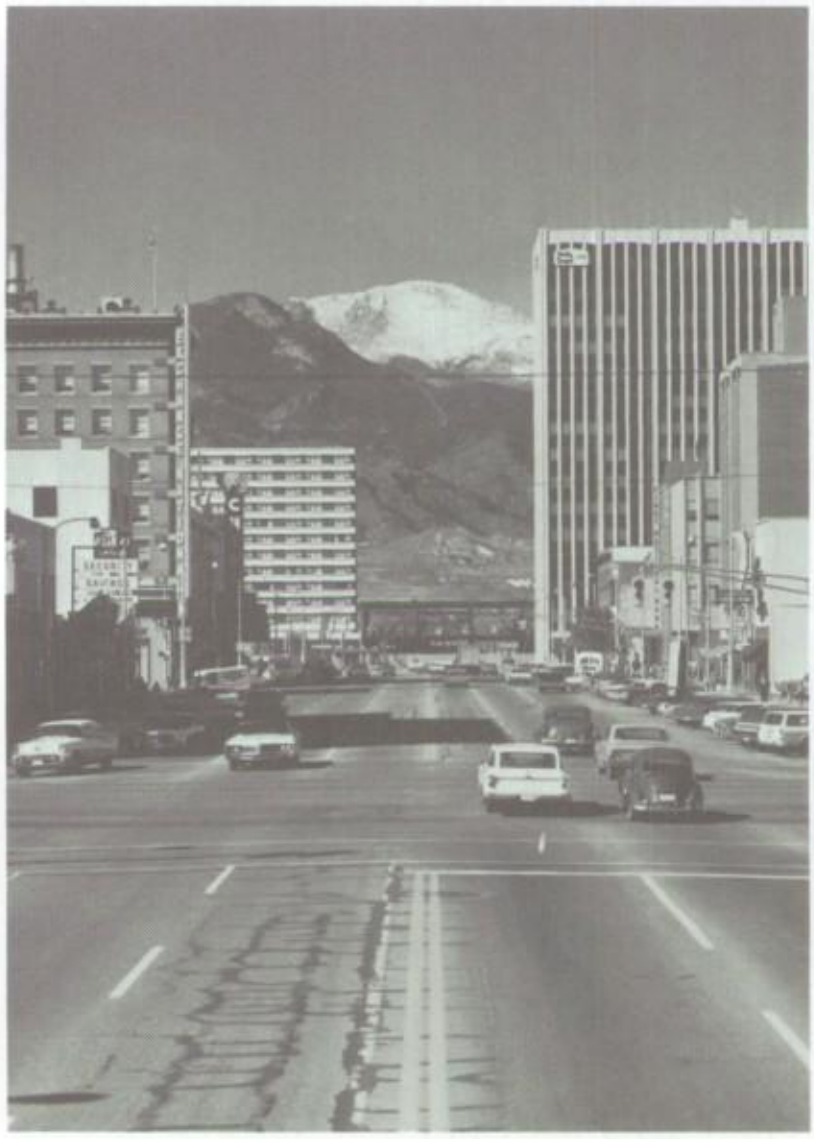

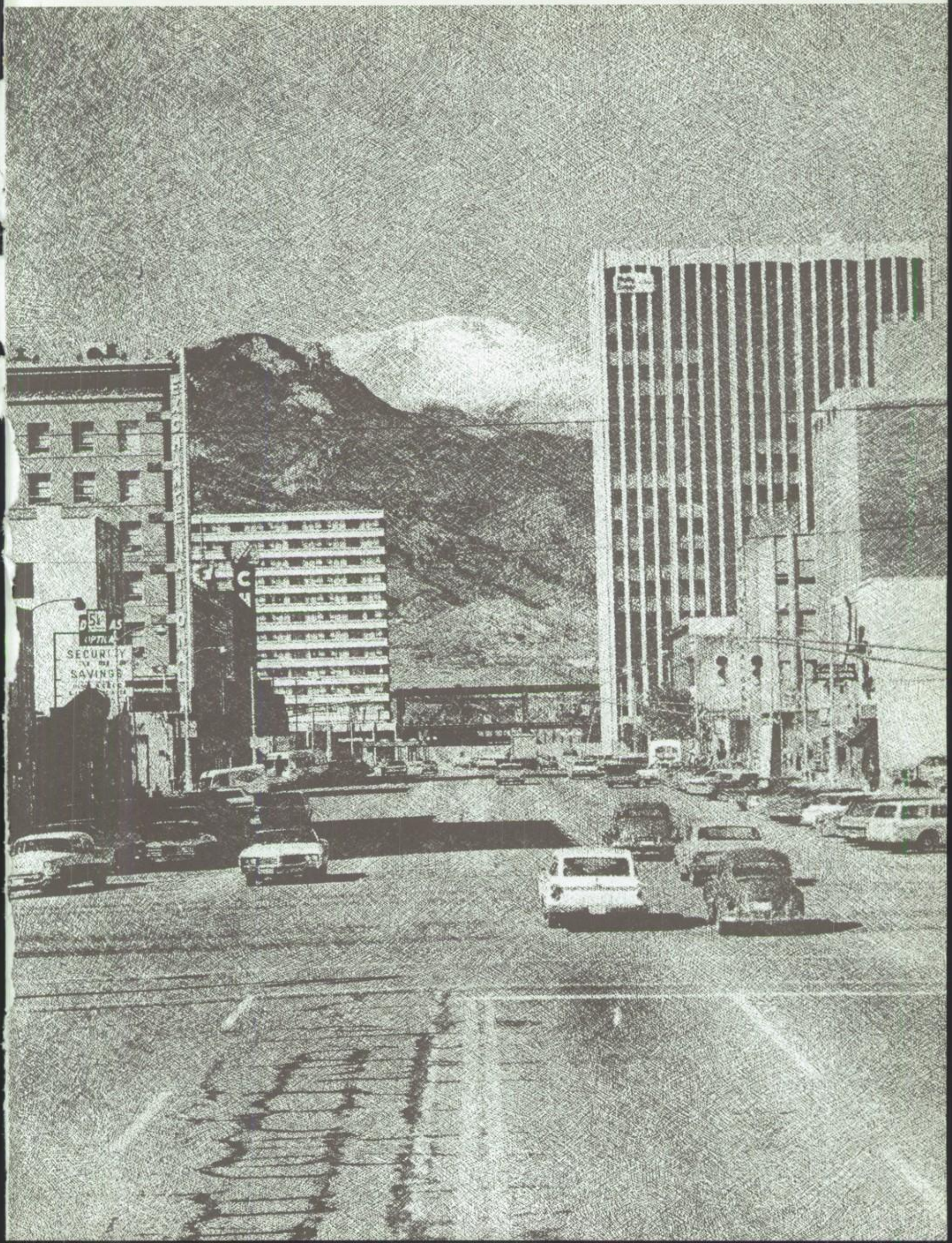
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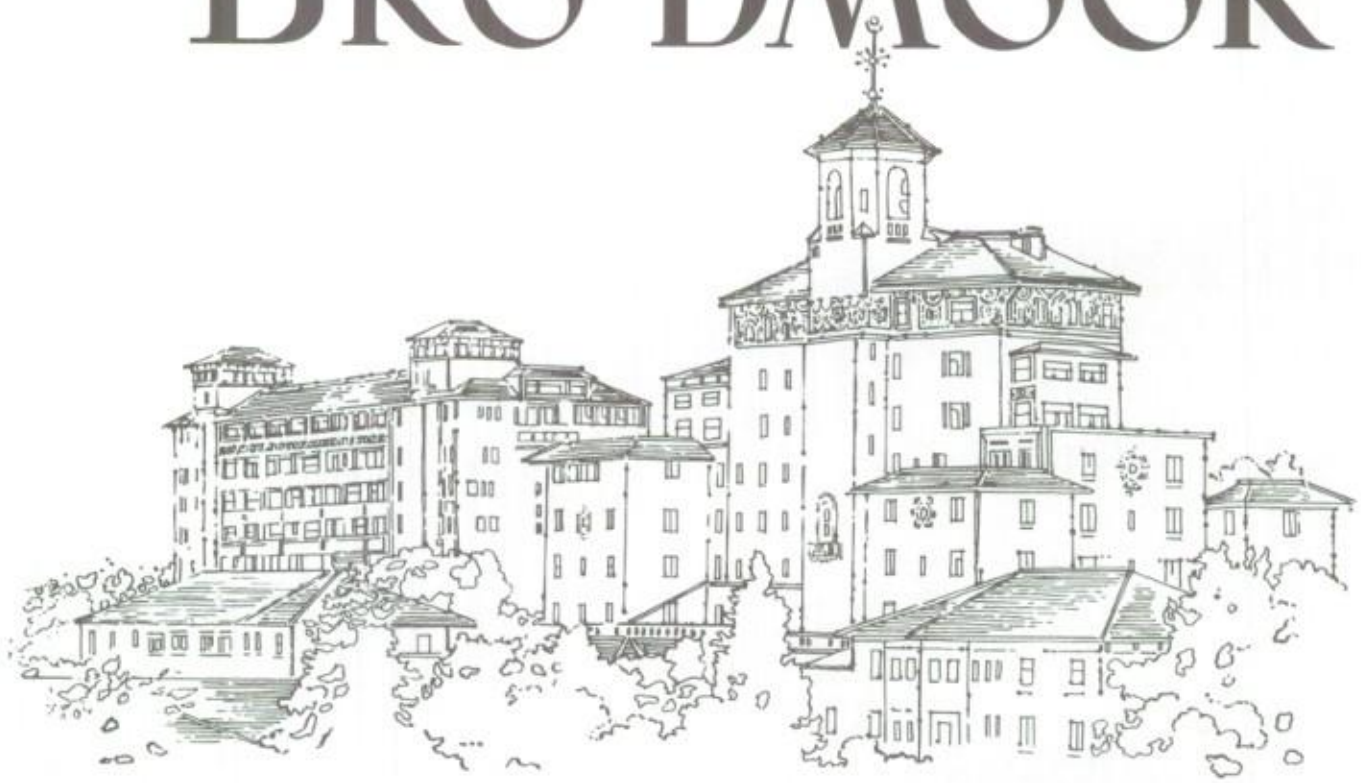

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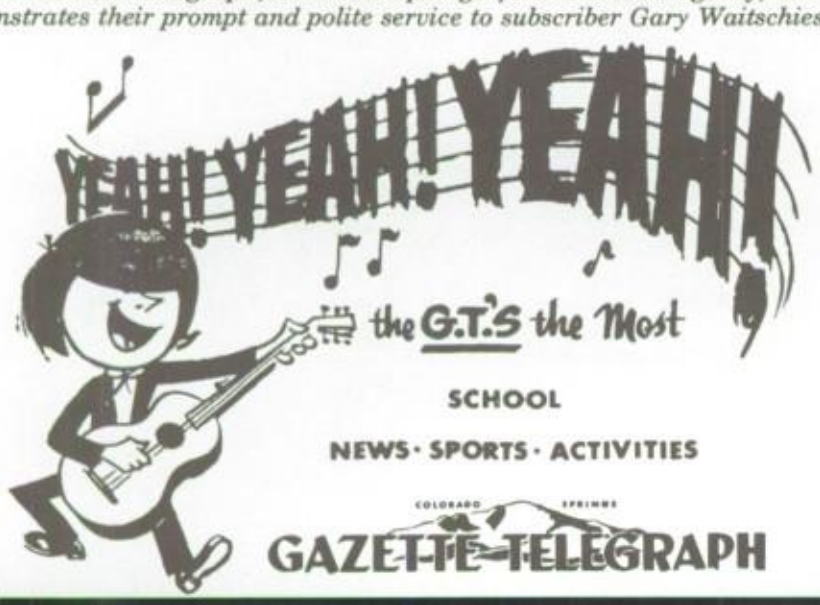

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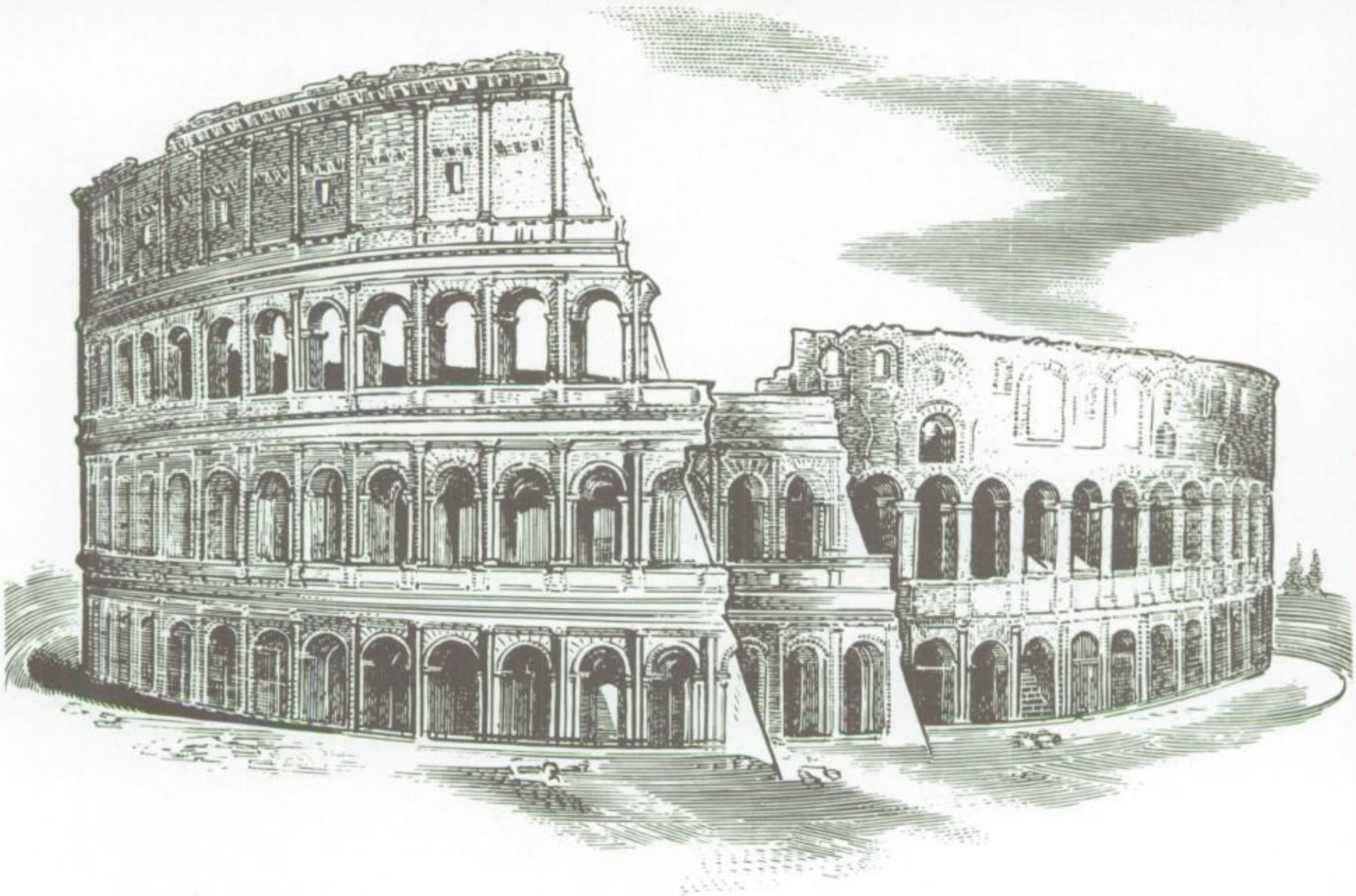

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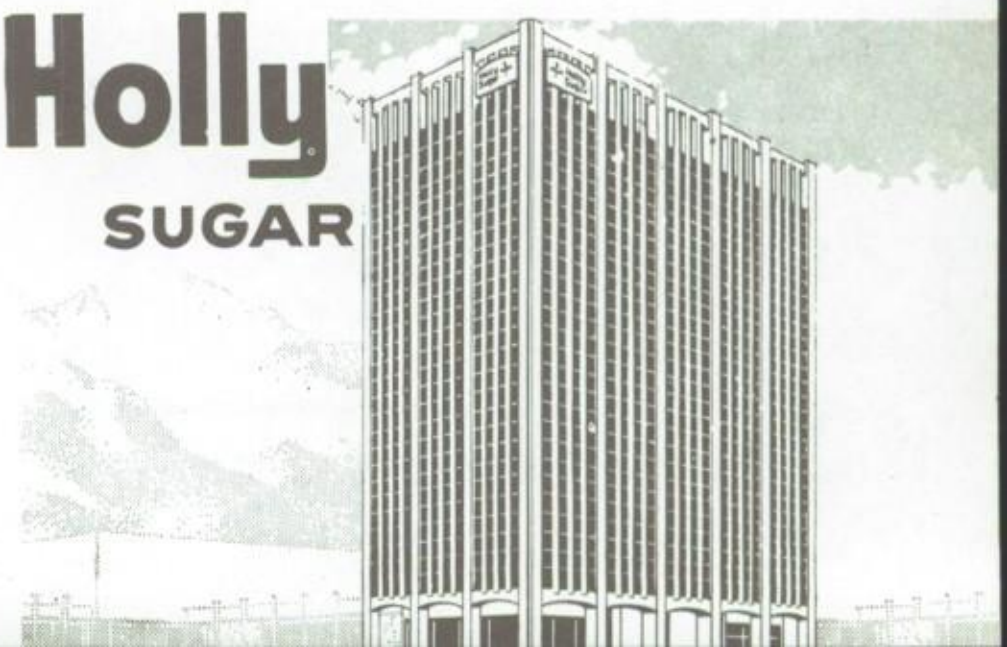

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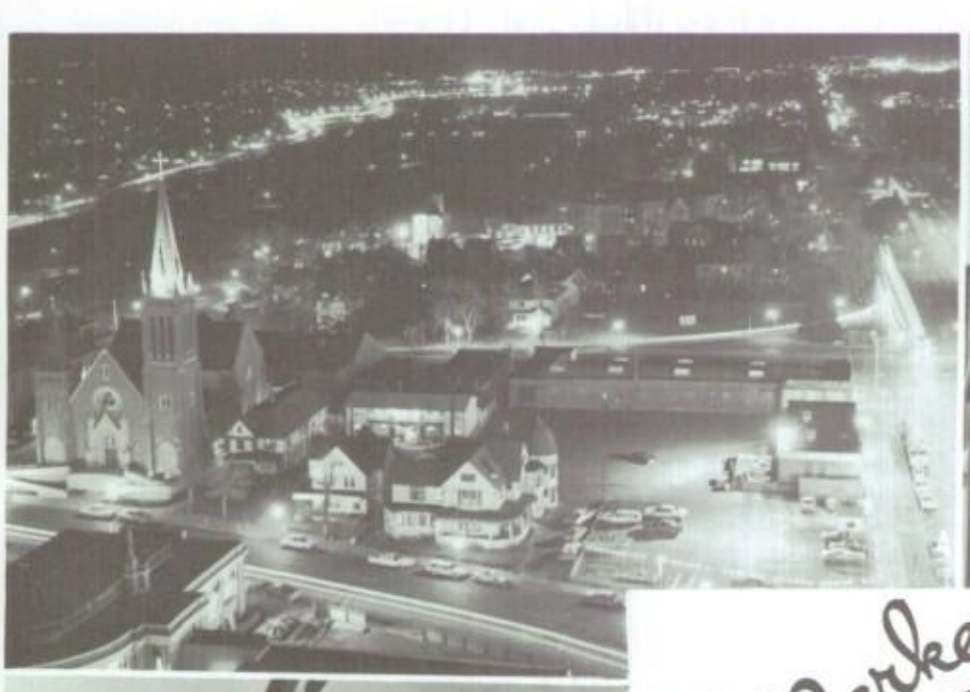

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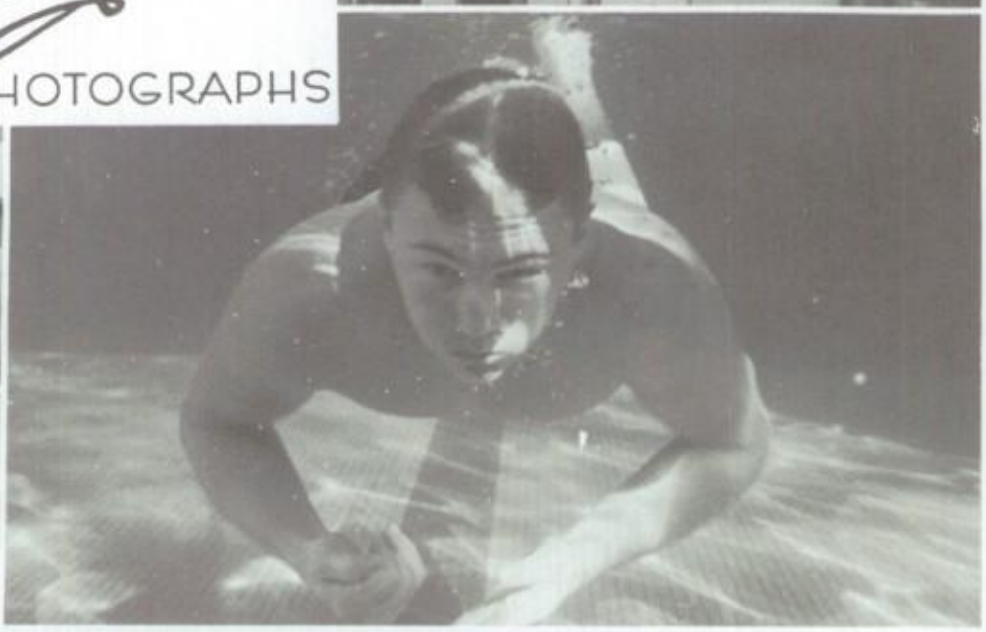

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Love always
Cathy Thomas

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